

# The Paducah Evening Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 25, 1910.

TEN CENTS PER WEEK

## CHAMPIONS WILL DEBATE TONIGHT AT THE KENTUCKY

Inter-High School Oratorical  
Contest For Western  
Kentucky.

Crowds Accompany Speakers  
From Homes.

ALL ARE IN BUT HENDERSON.

All is in readiness for the biggest oratorical contest ever held in Paducah, political speaking not excepted, when the representatives of the high schools of western Kentucky meet tonight at the Kentucky theater. Visitors began arriving early. An advance guard of 69 people came this morning at 9 o'clock, while several hundred from Madisonville, Hopkinsville, Paducah, Owensboro and Princeton are expected to arrive on the afternoon trains.

More interest has been displayed in the contest than in anything else the high school has undertaken. The keenest rivalry exists between the high schools and each representative will be backed by a solid band of rooters. The balcony has been assigned for the rooters and sections have been marked off so that the rooters of each school may be grouped for effective work in the yelling line. This morning the high school rooters held their final practice. The theater is decorated with the colors of the high schools. The blue and white of the local high school will be decorated with pennants from all of the schools.

The amount of interest that the contest has awakened in the city as well as among the surrounding towns is surprising. Yesterday about half the theater was sold out, while today the sale of tickets was lively, and it is assured that a packed house will greet the orators. The contest will begin at 8:15 o'clock.

In order that the contest may be fair the speakers will draw for positions, but the order which the speakers will appear can not be told until time for the contest.

The speakers and their subjects are: William Oglesby Soyars, of Hopkinsville, "The American Flag," Charles Rice Bourland, of Madisonville, "An Optimistic View," Miss Stella Anderson, of Paducah, "Ideals of the New and Old South," Walter Jones, of Princeton, "Abraham Lincoln Type of the True Kentuckian," Willie Reeves, of Owensboro, "On Earth, Peace," Charles Petrie, of Paducah, "America, Past and Present." It has been learned that the Henderson high school will not enter the contest. No notice was given of not entering the contest, and Prof. W. H. Sugg called up the principal over the long distance phone.

The judges have been selected from towns not in the league, so there can be no charge of prejudice. The judges will be seated in different sections of the theater, and each will be given a slip of paper. Each judge will grade the orators according to the delivery, theme and thought, and the speaker securing the highest percentage will be declared the winner. The judges are: Prof. A. C. Burton, of Mayfield; Commonwealth's Attorney John G. Lovett, of Benton, and Superintendent West, of Cadiz.

After the contest the students of the high school will entertain the visitors with a reception and dance at the Three Links building.

Those who arrived from Hopkinsville are: Misses Bessie Wallace, Elsie West, Frances Cravens, Adela Williamson, Jean McKee, Marion Dorch, Ruth Fritz, Edna Cayce, Mildred Hooser, Violet Owen; Messrs. Summers Cooper, James C. West, Arlin Rudford, Whitfield Stridford, W. W. Radford, John Bell, Fred Stowe, George Johnson, Jamie Johnson, E. C. McDonald, D. A. Clark, W. O. Soyars, Charles T. Jarrett and Mrs. M. P. Dorch.

Miss Lucille Harth, who is president of the oratorical league association, will preside over the contest and will introduce the speakers.

The high school was dismissed this afternoon in order that the decorating of the theater might be completed, and an opportunity be given to give the visitors a reception on their arrival in the city.

R. L. Flanary.  
News has been received here of the death of R. L. Flanary, circuit clerk of Crittenden county. His death was due to an attack of pneumonia, aggravated by the grip. Mr. Flanary was a son-in-law of Appellate Judge T. J. Nunn, and was one of the most prominent citizens of Crittenden county. He is survived by his wife and one child, Miss Virginia Flanary. He was a member of the Masons and Knights of Pythias.

## House Passes Bill, Providing For Interest Bearing Warrants to be Issued to Cover Up State Deficit

Senate Passes Tobacco Pooling Law, Providing For Filing Contracts For Record--  
Women Lose Fight.

Frankfort, Feb. 25. (Special.)—The senate passed the Donaldson vital statistics bill, which was defeated yesterday. It passed the tobacco pooling bill, requiring pooling organizations to record in the office of the county clerk all pooling contracts.

The house passed the bill providing for money to pay state expenses by means of interest bearing warrants instead of bonds.

Women Are Defeated.  
The house refused to turn down the unfavorable report on the bill giving women the right to vote in school matters, thus killing the bill. The senate reconsidered the bond bill defeated yesterday and again defeated it.

In the Senate.  
The senate passed the libel law, allowing papers to retract and escape damages.

An unusual number of new bills were introduced in the senate although none has had a chance of being enacted into law.

Among them was one by Senator N. C. Cureton, dividing the state into 100 legislative districts, giving Louisville ten seats in the lower house instead of eight.

Roll call of committees for bills followed. The house killed the bill providing penalties for the practice of embezzlement, against which the committee on public health sent in a number of petitions from constituents.

The resolution of Senator J. C. Graham, providing for night sessions was voted down.

Governor Willson sent in the name of W. G. Munn, of Louisville, as a member of the board of visitors of the blind school at Louisville. The nomination was referred to the committee on executive affairs.

Among the bills introduced were the following:  
W. N. Dowling—An act providing that trustees of State University shall be selected by the Alumni association and certified to the governor.

E. E. Hogg—Act providing for the payment of interest on warrants for the state charitable institutions heretofore issued, and appropriating

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McWhirter's Body.  
The body of Edward McWhirter, the conductor who was killed on the Iron Mountain railroad at Wolfe Lake, Ill., arrived in Paducah this morning at 7:30 o'clock. The body was accompanied from Illinois by Messrs. Cooper and Dammer, who represented the Order of Railway Trainmen, of which Mr. McWhirter was a member. At 11:25 o'clock this morning the body was taken to Marion for the funeral and burial.

A delegation of the members of the Order of Railway Trainmen escorted the body to the train.

Capt. Coles Goes to Mobile.  
Capt. Mark Coles will leave next Monday for Mobile, Ala., where he will join the crew of the steamer Martha Hennen. Captain Coles returned last week from a trip up the Cumberland river, and has been spending the week with friends in the city. He has been on the steamer Martha Hennen until low water in the Mobile river compelled the crew to tie up the boat.

Only One Disturbance  
in Philadelphia Today

Philadelphia, Feb. 25.—Only one disturbance occurred this morning when a policeman was badly hurt and a number of rioters beaten up. At Sixth street and Columbia avenues a car on which Patrolman George Pastre was riding was stoned. One of the missiles rendered Pastre insensible. Other policemen and the state police charged the crowd, using maces. The mob broke and only one arrest was made.

The meeting called for Sunday is only to afford the union men a chance for discussion, as each union must hold its own referendum before

THE WEATHER  
The predictions and temperature for the past twenty-four hours will be found at the top of the seventh column on page four.

GIVES UP.

Boston, Feb. 25.—George W. Coleman, treasurer of the National City bank, of Cambridge, who, it is said, plundered the institution of nearly \$250,000, was arrested here this morning. He was taken into custody by federal officers at the railway station, as he returned to give himself up.

## SHERIFF'S FEES FOR NOTICES

The present fiscal court differs from the last as to what constitutes a reasonable fee for the sheriff in serving the notices of increases in valuation by the county board of supervisors. The magistrates have allowed Sheriff George Houser 50 cents for every notice served in the county, while a fee of 35 cents is paid for the serving of the supervisors' notices in the city.

The statute does not fix any compensation more than a "reasonable fee." During the last administration the magistrates kicked strenuously at allowing former Sheriff John W. Ogilvie 50 cents for serving the notices, but the fiscal court has experienced a change of heart. During the first year Mr. Ogilvie was allowed 35 cents for each notice, but the second year the fee was cut to 17 1/2 cents. Quite a squabble ensued over the small fee, as Mr. Ogilvie claimed that there was only a few cents profit, and in 1908 the fee was increased to 20 cents.

Sheriff George Houser was a trifle uneasy about getting a small fee, too, but the fiscal court last month allowed his bill at 50 cents in the county and 35 cents in the city for serving the notices, and it is said that no change will be made in the fee when the bill for the remainder of the notices is presented next Tuesday.

Burial of Thomas Whipple.  
The body of Thomas Whipple, who died yesterday at Sharp, Ky., while visiting his son, T. E. Whipple, was sent to his home in Bandana this morning. The burial took place this afternoon.

The End is Near  
Morgantown, Ky., Feb. 25. (Special.)—Judge and Mrs. Guffy are growing worse.

SITE OF SKYSCRAPER  
BEING CLEARED OFF

By night the site for the new skyscraper of the City National bank will be a heap of rubbish. The work of dismantling the old buildings has progressed rapidly, and today Contractor H. M. Weikel said that he would have all of the walls down before quitting time tonight. All the wood construction has been removed and the bare walls were pushed down. It will take considerable time to clear up the old bricks, but a large force of men will be put to work cleaning the brick, and it is expected to begin the foundation by March 15.

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Peoria, Ill., Feb. 25.—Springfield was awarded the 1911 convention of the United Mine Workers of Illinois in state convention today. The vote was Springfield, 197; Peoria, 23; East St. Louis, 18. Operators were ready to meet the miners today in a joint state conference.

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FATAL AUTO ACCIDENT  
WHEN CONTROL IS LOST

Austin, Tex., Feb. 25.—One man was killed and four seriously injured, one probably fatally, here today in an automobile accident. John Sellstrom, a wealthy merchant, who was driving, lost control of the car while running at a high rate of speed and the car turned a complete somersault. Sellstrom was instantly killed.

## THREE VERDICTS FOR DAMAGES IN CIRCUIT COURT

Small Sums Awarded Plaintiffs Against Railroad Company.

Telegraph Company Assessed Ten Dollars.

SLANDER SUIT IS CONTINUED

Three verdicts were returned in circuit court in three damage suits. J. M. Dunn was given a verdict for \$75 and his wife, Sarah Dunn, a verdict for \$25 against the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis railroad as the result of injuries sustained last year near the Union station. They were returning to their home and stopped their horse when the automatic gate was lowered, while a string of freight cars passed. The gate keeper raised the gates several feet, when a switch engine started and the gates were dropped quickly. Dunn started driving across the tracks when the gates starting ascending, and was struck by the gate as it fell. The injuries they sustained were not serious.

G. W. Hanson was given a verdict of \$10 against the Western Union Telegraph company for damages as the result of negligence in delivering a telegram. Hanson was to meet his wife, who was ill, at Birmingham, Ala., and on account of the non-delivery of the telegram failed to meet her.

Killed at Woodville.  
Trial of the suit of J. H. Massie, administrator, against the Illinois Central railroad for damages as the result of the death of B. Moss, was continued until March 10. The trial was entered into, but the defense was unable to secure some witnesses and the suit was continued and attachments will be issued for missing witnesses. Mr. Moss was killed near Woodville.

Slander Suit.  
The trial of the suit of Miss Georgia Gregory against J. D. McElroy was continued to May. Miss Gregory is a former school teacher in the western part of the county and alleges that the defendant made remarks about her that prevented her from securing a school. Both the plaintiff and defendant are well known in the county and the suit has created much interest.

Isaac England, colored, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses, was released yesterday afternoon on bond furnished by L. M. Greif.

In the suit of John B. Steel against Charles L. Perkins the defendant filed reasons and made a motion for a new trial.

The defendant in the suit of G. W. Hanson against the Western Union Telegraph company filed reasons and made a motion for a new trial.

Freeburg & Kahn were given judgment for \$123 against E. Thompson. The suit of Hardy Buggy company against B. F. Sears was submitted to the court.

An amended petition was filed in the suit of the Commonwealth against Hiram Smedley.

The docket for tomorrow is: William Moore against the Illinois Central railroad.

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CHICAGO MARKET.

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May—High. Low. Close.  
Wheat . . . 1.14 1.13 1.14  
Corn . . . . 66 65 65  
Oats . . . . 47 47 47  
Provisions . . . 23.97 23.85 23.85  
Lard . . . . 12.97 12.92 12.95  
Ribs . . . . 12.65 12.57 12.62

## Captain Godfrey Fowler is Dead From Wounds Received, Fighting at Head of Chamorro's Artillery

American Officer Well Known in Paducah, is Loss to Provisional Government--Conflicting Reports of Fight.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 25.—Capt. Godfrey R. Fowler, of Palestine, Tex., formerly of the United States army, who commanded General Chamorro's artillery in a recent battle against the government forces near Granada, Nicaragua, is dead from wounds received during the fighting, according to official advices received by relatives here today. Captain Fowler was the grandson of the late United States Senator John H. Reagan. When Fowler left here his relatives supposed he was going to New Orleans for treatment for nervous prostration, but the next heard from him was from Nicaragua. Captain Fowler served through the Spanish-American war and was a member of the Gilmore relief expedition in the Philippines. He was 35 years old.

Capt. Godfrey Fowler is a cousin of Mr. Saunders Fowler and of the family of the late Capt. Joseph H. Fowler. He visited his relatives here several summers ago and by his attractive personality made many friends.

Bluefields, (wireless to Colon), Feb. 25.—Reports of conditions in western Nicaragua are again conflicting, messages being received here today from Rama that a group of straggling Estrada soldiers had reached La Libertad with a story that fighting about Acayaha, St. Vincent and other western points had not been entirely in favor of the provisional army. The men declared they had heard that Chamorro's brigade had been cut to pieces in fighting between Granada and Managua. The stragglers had been cut off from their command and were endeavoring to work their way back to the base of supplies. The story reached here just after a night of celebration over what was believed to be a complete Estrada victory, and today there is a feeling of apprehension here among provisional officials, who are anxious to receive an authentic report.

Notable Americans Now in Chile.  
Andes, Chile, Feb. 25.—William J. Bryan and Mrs. Bryan and their daughter, arrived today from Santiago and crossed the mountains on their way to Buenos Ayres. Dr. Frederick A. Cook and wife arrived from Santiago. They will remain until Sunday, when they may proceed to Buenos Ayres.

Odd Fellows News.  
Mrs. Emma Ochs, of Newport, state president of the Rebekahs, left this morning for Barlow after spending several days in the city. She is making an inspection trip over the state, visiting the lodges. From Barlow she will visit Massac, in the county, where a new lodge of the Daughters of Rebekah will be instituted. Last night the Manum lodge of Odd Fellows initiated ten new members. The new members were in the large class that was scheduled for membership last week, but owing to the blizzard all of the work was not completed.

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BIG SHOPS.

Elkhart, Ind., Feb. 25.—Announcement is made today by Master Mechanic Foster, of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad, that the road was to begin shortly the construction of \$2,000,000 locomotive and car shops here. The shops, according to the announcement, will be the largest in the west, covering 65 acres, and will employ over 3,000 men.

## FALL FAIR PLANS ARE IN BALANCE

ALL DEPENDS ON WHETHER ASSOCIATION HAS SUPPORT OF MERCHANTS.

Whether Paducah has a fair next autumn will depend upon what aid and encouragement the business men and merchants of the city extend to the promoters. This was decided this morning, when a meeting of the directors of the Paducah fair association was held. After the first fair the association practically broke even and stands ready to repeat the fair this year if the promoters are assured that the merchants will lend them assistance. Last year large crowds were drawn to the city by the races and it is hoped to hold the fair under more auspicious circumstances this fall.

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## ADMINISTRATION'S BILL IS REPORTED FAVORABLY TODAY

Interstate Commerce Law Amendments as Proposed by Senator Elkins.

Postal Savings Bank Measure Considered.

IN THE NATIONAL LEGISLATURE

Washington, Feb. 25.—The senate committee on interstate commerce today decided to recommend the passing of the Taft-Elkins bill, amending the interstate commerce law.

Postal Bank.  
Washington, Feb. 25.—Decided progress was made in the senate towards the disposition of the postal savings bank bill. In addition to the striking speech by Senator Bailey an amendment offered by Senator Burton, as a compromise of the various differences on the question of the disposal of funds arising from postal deposits, Senator Carter succeeded in getting next Thursday, March 3, fixed for a vote on the bill.

There was no objection to naming the day and the senators appeared pleased that the time had been fixed for the final disposition of the measure, which has dragged in its progress through the senate. Carter preferred his request immediately after the close of Bailey's speech. The time was well selected, as many senators have been waiting to hear from the Texas senator before agreeing to fixing the time for the disposal of the bill.

After Bailey had concluded many expressed the opinion that he had thrown much light on the constitutional questions involved in the subject. He had a splendid audience, both on the floor of the senate and in the galleries, and the speech was received with general favor.

Owen gave notice that he would speak on the proposed amendment, substituting the government guarantee of bank deposits for the suggested postal banks.

In the House.  
Washington, Feb. 25.—Consideration of the postoffice appropriation bill, carrying \$239,000,000, was begun in the house, thus giving to many members opportunities to make political speeches. Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, addressed the house on the subject of the high prices of the necessities of life, contending that the tariff was not an important factor in determining such prices. He exhibited charts to show that the price movements were worldwide.

Taft Program Grows.  
Washington, Feb. 25.—Following his return from a two days' trip to Newark, N. J., President Taft had several conferences with members of the two houses of congress regarding the legislative program. The bills which the president declared that he looked for congress to pass in redemption of party pledges are these:

Establishing postal savings banks, amending and strengthening the interstate commerce law; the conservation measures giving the president the right to withdraw public lands from entry and to continue the withdrawal until revoked by himself or by act of congress, and providing for a reclassification of the lands (these two bills may be consolidated); the anti-injunction bill and statehood for New Mexico and Arizona.

In addition to these, the president has raised many other matters of important legislation, among them a bill for new government in Alaska, the bill for federal incorporation and the bill creating a public health bureau.

Mr. Taft let it be known, that while he urges only the five measures set forth as party pledges, he has by no means abandoned the other measures he had recommended.

Outline Big Naval Program.  
Washington, Feb. 25.—From an authentic source it was learned that the following is the probable program for the naval increase for the coming year as it will be reported by the house committee on naval affairs:

Two mammoth battleships of 28,000 tons each, costing \$11,000,000 each.  
One repair vessel.  
Two large naval colliers.  
Five submarines.  
Three destroyers.

This list represents an increase over the recommendations of Secretary Meyer, but it is understood that when the secretary appears before the committee next Saturday he will urge these additional recommendations. A majority of the committee is said to favor the above list.

The committee reached a tentative conclusion to authorize the building of 28,000-ton battleships instead of 26,000, as heretofore agreed. Some members favored 30,000-ton ships.



# That Postal Deficit

The Joint Postal Commission in 1907 reported as follows:

"It appears too obvious to require argument that the most efficient service can never be expected as long as the direction of the business is, as at present, intrusted to a Postmaster-General and certain assistants selected without special reference to experience and qualifications and subject to frequent change. Before the Postmaster-General and his assistants can become reasonably familiar with the operations of the service they are replaced by others, who, in turn, are called upon to resign before they can, in the nature of things, become qualified by knowledge and experience to perform their allotted tasks. Under such a system a large railroad, commercial or industrial business would inevitably go into bankruptcy, and the Post-Office Department has averted that fate only because the United States Treasury has been available to meet deficiencies."

The public accountants' report said:

"The work of the Department and its development is hindered all along the line by slavish adherence to old methods and to precedents created in previous years, and many reforms which might otherwise be instituted are hindered—if not entirely prevented—by appeals to the decisions of the Comptroller, made, perhaps, many years ago under entirely different conditions. Then, again, the conservatism of Government officials is a generally admitted fact. There is no inducement to employees to suggest improvements in the service for the reason that if these improvements result in greater efficiency or economy of administration they will receive little credit; and, on the other hand, if new methods are not successful they will be charged with the whole blame."

In view of these official statements by those whom Congress authorized to investigate the Post-Office, we submit that the Postmaster-General's attempt to wipe out the deficit in his Department by raising the postage on your magazines, instead of by devoting his energies to securing legislation that will place the service on a sound, efficient and economical basis, is unwise and unbusinesslike. The nature of his recommendations, and the attempt to exempt newspapers from any increase, are final grounds for a divorce of this great business department from politics.

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### NO TIDINGS

FROM PRISONERS WHO BROKE JAIL LAST WEEK.

One Tracked By Blood Hound and Another Stole Horse—Broke Cadiz Jail.

Cadiz, Ky., Feb. 25.—No tidings have yet been received as to the whereabouts of any of the four prisoners who broke out of the county jail on Wednesday of last week, and it now looks like each had made good his escape.

Early in the search last Wednesday afternoon the blood hound of Tom McBride located the track of one of the men down the north bank of Little river, and the trail was followed by Jailer Marlow and Mr. McBride until dark. The dog, which was turned loose, had left the men, and they were unable to find trace of her after following her tracks down the river for two miles. The dog did not return to town that night nor the next day, and it was thought that perhaps she had been killed. Saturday morning Tom Wharton, an old negro who lives two miles northwest of town, brought the dog to town, saying that on Wednesday night about 9 o'clock a strange negro answering the description of Wimberly had come to his home and asked to warm. The negro remained there until about 11 o'clock, according to the story, and the next morning the

dog was found under his house. A horse was stolen from W. P. Bruce, who lives on the Griffor farm, near town, the night the prisoners escaped, and the next morning it was found at Cerulean, muddy and tired, and showed signs of having been hard ridden.

A message from Princeton Friday stated that a man had been arrested there answering the description of Rogers, but investigation proved this to be some other than Rogers. Description of the men have been sent all over the country, and it may be that some of them will yet be caught, though no trace of them has yet been found.—Cadiz Record.

Prof. Carrel of the Rockefeller Institute is able to keep flesh alive for weeks in cold storage so as to be grafted and grown into and upon living animals.

### SENATOR GORDON SAYS FAREWELL

MISSISSIPPI MAN MADE DRAMATIC SPEECH.

Says He Was Born a Multi-Millionaire but Succeeded in Getting Rid of His.

HE IS SORRY FOR RICH MEN.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Senator James Gordon, of Mississippi, said good bye to the senators with whom he had served for sixty days. When Gordon concluded Senator Dewey addressed the chair, saying that he had never heard of or read any speech of the kind.

"I was born a multi-millionaire," said Colonel Gordon, "but I never was happy until I got rid of my surplus money. I spent much of it on my slaves and the rest of my funds I spent like a gentleman and got rid of my entire encumbrance."

"I have listened with interest to speeches here and the more I heard of them the sorer I am for the millionaires. Why, if there is a fellow in the United States that I am sorry for it's Rockefeller, because he has more money than any one else. That is his misfortune. He can't go on the street with one of his grandchildren unless he is afraid that some one might kill him. Why, I know that he loves one of those children much better than he loves all the money he has got."

"I think Rockefeller is a good man. I see his employees speak well of him, and I am told that he never had a strike. I am told also that he has given much money to churches and education. Now, I don't suppose that everybody will like that, but those who don't like it can put it in their pipe and smoke it. I would like for Rockefeller to come down to Mississippi and run his pipe lines through my land. He could have the right of way for all the lines he wanted, for I know that in my time coal oil has been reduced from forty cents to ten cents a gallon."

Referring to the fact that he had been a Confederate soldier, Gordon said: "I fought and bled, but did not die. However, I skeddaddled frequently."

He then told of his exploits in the war and how he had captured General Coburn, of Indiana and General Shafter. Shafter, he said, had fired at him five different times during a Confederate charge without hitting him. He admitted that on more than one occasion he had been "skedaddled." He wanted the Mason and Dixon line obliterated from the United States because he did not want any more strife.

"A few blab-mouthed people down our way talk differently," he said, "but they are so insignificant that they are not worth cursing."

### News of Theatres

"The Traveling Salesman," by James Forbes, the author of "The Chorus Lady," which ran an entire season at the Gaiety theater in New York, four months at the Park theater in Boston and six months at the Illinois theater in Chicago, comes to The Kentucky at an early date. "The Traveling Salesman" has scored an emphatic success and has earned a wide reputation and name.

The "Buster Brown" company is to appear at The Kentucky Wednesday evening, March 2.

### PURSE SNATCHER

ATTACKS MRS. LEE STEWART, OF BROOKPORT, ILL.

Ten Dollars in Pocketbook, Which Unknown Man Secured From Her.

While returning to her home, 215 North Third street, last night, Mrs. Lee Stewart, formerly of Brookport, Ill., was accosted by an unknown man just in front of the Commercial hotel, Third and Jefferson streets. He snatched her large black pocketbook from her hand and fled in the darkness.

Mrs. Stewart was frightened by the boldness of the purse snatcher, and by the time she could recover her faculties he was nowhere in sight. The police were notified and patrolmen in the business district given a description of him. The purse contained a small pocket inside and a \$10 bill. Also in the purse were a pressing club hat of Brookport and a bank book. She was unable to tell whether the man was white or colored, but described him as being tall and roughly dressed. No clue has been found.

A New Rochelle man feeling for a door in the dark broke his nose against the edge of it. The open door is all right, but dangerous if only half open.—New York Herald.

### CONNORS AND MURPHY AGREE

SAVES SCALP BUT LOSES MOST OF HIS HAIR.

Repudiates Charges Concerning Tammany Chief and Alleged Auctioning of Judgeships.

HE WILL RESIGN IN APRIL

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 25.—William J. Connors made good his prediction that he would remain chairman of the Democratic state commission after its meeting. In saving his political scalp he lost most of his hair.

Charles F. Murphy, the Tammany chieftain, whose mastery of the situation was realized by no one better than by Connors himself, granted the Buffalo leader a brief political reprieve in the interest of party harmony, after Connors had agreed to resign in April, and to repudiate his recent harsh statements concerning Murphy and the alleged auctioning of judgeships in New York, which he declared were the result of his "infirmities of temper," and were unjustified in fact.

Connors was re-elected for two years on April 17, 1908. He announced at the meeting that under no conceivable circumstances would he be a candidate for re-election. The state committee will meet in April to elect a new chairman. The meeting lasted less than 15 minutes. After a compromise which was arranged at a personal conference between Chairman Connors and Leader Murphy, all fear of a clash at the meeting vanished.

Four resolutions were adopted unanimously and the meeting adjourned. The first resolution favored the federal income tax. The second favored a direct primary. The third scored the "Republican misrule" and "iniquities of the tariff law," declaring the Republicans won the last election upon a platform pledging revision of the tariff downward, but that the recent revision in no way removed from the shoulders of the people the burden of indirect taxation. The fourth charged that the high cost of the necessities of life is directly attributable to the Republican misrule.

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### THE LEGISLATURE

(Continued from Page One.)

\$75,000 for new buildings at the feeble minded institute and \$65,000 for water supply at central asylum at Lakeland.

J. F. Prichard—Act extending county unit local option law. Identical with Vice and Watkins bills heretofore killed.

Mark Ryan—Act providing pay for deputy county clerk in Jefferson county.

H. H. Smith—Act dividing state into thirty-eight senatorial districts. Gives Jefferson county and Louisville four senators instead of three as now.

A number of bills were given their second reading and referred to committees.

After an unfavorable report by the committee on public health, the house refused first reading to the bill providing for a board of examiners for optometrists, 44 to 20.

The election contest committee in charge of the Scott-Trivett and

## The Stomach and How To Cure Its Ills, Free

More thought is being given to the stomach today than to any other organ. Dieting and a hundred other things are suggested, but the fact remains that we have to eat and that in the main we are eating the same food today that has been eaten for hundreds of years. The point, then, is to find a way of remedying an evil when we find it.

There comes a time in the lives of all of us when a laxative is necessary, only with some this requirement occurs more frequently than with others. But whether the occasion is frequent or rare it is important that you take a simple, natural remedy. The farther you get away from the man-made tablet or pill and the salty purgative water the better. You want something that combines the virtues of a laxative and tonic, something that is sure in its effect and yet pleasant to the taste, a remedy containing earth-grown vegetables and plants. Such is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, now for nearly a quarter of a century a recognized household friend in thousands of homes. The world affords no better cure for constipation and liver trouble, for indigestion and sour stomach, for sick

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Dr. Caldwell personally will be pleased to give you any medical advice you may desire for yourself or family pertaining to the stomach, liver or bowels absolutely free of charge. Explain your case in a letter and he will reply to you in detail. For the free sample simply send your name and address on a postal card or otherwise. For other request the doctor's address is Dr. W. B. Caldwell, (R. 37) Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

Hill-Evans cases, made reports allowing expenses to the parties. Dr. J. H. Evans, who was unseated from the Breathitt-Lee-Magoffin district was allowed \$300 and R. C. Hill \$250. Allowances of \$250 each were made to G. C. Scott and E. E. Trivett, who contested the seat from Pike county. Trivett, Republican, the contestee, was awarded the seat.

Among the bills introduced were the following:

By Zimmerman—Requiring the commissioner of agriculture or other authority to call all meetings of farmers institutes for the purpose of electing delegates to the state institute for county seats. A fine is provided for a violation of this act.

Mr. J. W. Perry—Requiring the state board of health to issue a certificate to practice medicine to any reputable physician of good moral character who has attended two terms at a reputable, legally-chartered, medical college, and who has practiced medicine for twenty-five years.

Wants State Printing Office.

Mr. R. C. Hill—Establishing a public printing office at the state capital, to do the state printing and binding, and for the printing and binding of a uniform set of school books to be used in the public schools.

Mr. Southall—Providing for the making of an allowance by a county judge committing a child or children coming within the jurisdiction of the court to any institution not supported in part or in whole by the state, county or city, and requiring these payments to be made by the fiscal court.

Klaier—Providing for the payment of those enlisted officers and men of the state militia who were regularly called into service during the late winter and spring of 1900 and who have not been paid for such service.

This has reference to men in the service during the Taylor-Goebel contest.

Counts—Designating the tobacco leaf as the state flower.

Price—Giving citizens of Second-class cities protection from oppression at the hands of public service corporations of which they are patrons.

Delay For Unit Bill.

On motion of Mr. Steers the orders of the day were postponed that standing committees might report. This again retarded the progress of the county unit bill.

House bill 116, the woman's suffrage bill, was reported by Chairman Harry Myers with the expression of opinion that it ought not to pass.

Representative McVean introduced a bill permitting the judges of the circuit court of Kenton county, at Independence, to sit during the trial of different cases without the drawings by lot, the practice now in vogue.

The committee on rules reported favorably the senate resolution providing for the payment of \$8,200 for extra expenses in employing clerks and stenographers.

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**Capt. Slaughter's Aunt Dies.**  
Captain John M. Slaughter, of the No. 3 fire station, received the news this morning that his aunt, Mrs. Ellen Riggs, of Greenville, Miss., died yesterday after an illness of general debility. Mrs. Riggs has resided in Paducah.

Some people talk so much that they have no time to listen to anything worth while.

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## VREELAND MEN WIN THE FIGHT

OUT FOLLOWERS OF NEWMAN IN FAIR BOARD

At Farmers' Institute—Commissioner Rankin Blocks Plan to Re-Elect Woodford Man.

HOT SCRAP IN THE MEETING.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—After a lively fight in the Farmers' Institute between the two factions headed by Hubert Vreeland and Secretary J. W. Newman, of the State Fair, and Vreeland faction triumphed and succeeded in putting in its officers and members of the state board of agriculture.

The new officers for the institute and the new members of the board of agriculture, forestry and immigration were elected.

T. J. Bigstaff, was elected president, succeeding H. M. Froman, who has been president for five years.

**New Board Members.**

Second District—E. G. Dent, succeeding C. M. Barnett.

Fourth District—L. L. Dorsey, succeeding himself.

Fifth District—H. M. Froman, succeeding Desha Breckinridge.

The following officers were elected besides Mr. Bigstaff: C. M. Barnett, Hartford, first vice president; W. A. Clements, Springfield, second vice president; Perry M. Shy, Frankfort, secretary; J. S. Cassidy, Inez, treasurer.

Resolutions were adopted endorsing the good roads movement, appropriations for the State Fair and complimenting the work of the Experiment Station and the Commissioner of Agriculture's office.

J. W. Newman, secretary of the state fair, was re-elected at a meeting of the state board of forestry, immigration and agriculture.

As a result of politics, which split the State Farmers' Institute wide open, whatever good might have been accomplished out of the institute will come to nothing.

The selection of Mr. Newman was a great disappointment to the Vreeland faction, who had hoped to elect Hubert Vreeland secretary.

**Iceland Morality.**

Writing of Iceland a traveler says: "The people are as a class extremely well educated and many a young fellow you may see haymaking has been through the Latin school at Reykjavik, and is studying law, medicine or divinity in the winter. He finds the means for his winter studies by working on the land during summer. Iceland is essentially a democratic country, and everyone has an equal chance of coming to the front. It is singularly unspoiled by the vices of an older civilization, and its people are marked for their simplicity of life and manners. I should unhesitatingly describe Iceland as morally the purest country in the world."—Exchange.

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## SPENT A FORTUNE ON SKIN TROUBLE

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## BOOMERANG

REPORT OF SENATE COMMITTEE ROASTING GOVERNOR.

Animus of Taylor's Investigation Finds Lodging in Louisville.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—Republicans here are elated at the character of the report made by Senator E. M. Taylor, of the sub-committee of the legislature named to investigate the adjutant general's department, but which seems to have shifted over to the governor's office instead, and say that it will make capital campaign material for them. When the report is printed and returned to the senate, it will be discussed by the Republican and some of the Democratic members, in a way which promises to add spice to the proceedings of the day. One Democrat, from a certain county in which the troops were sent during the "night rider" troubles, called at the governor's office, after hearing the report made, and said that he wanted to endorse the action of the executive. "Not long ago," said this gentleman, "I was one of those who condemned the governor in the severest terms. I am one who, today, wants to say that I was mistaken, and that the people of my county are today with the chief executive for his prompt action in connection with the putting down of the 'night riders'."

The making of the report, or the preparation of it, seems to have fallen principally into the hands of the attorney for the committee, former Senator Charles Carroll. Senator Taylor was seen several times and asked to furnish a copy of the report to the representatives of the newspapers, to be held for release, prior to sending it to the senate. He promised to do so. When seen Tuesday evening and asked for a copy of the report, as per promise, Senator Taylor said that the committee had met and decided not to give it out to the press at all, but that it would be offered in open senate, Thursday, and that the papers would have to catch it as best they could. When seen yesterday and asked how it came that but one report was given out, and that to the Evening Times, Senator Taylor said that he presumed Attorney Carroll had done this, as he had the making of the report and that but two copies were prepared.

**Attorney Carroll Ran Things.**

Senator Taylor was assured that the report was not considered of such importance, from a newspaper standpoint, but that it was only desired to find out who was "running things" and giving out the report.

When the report finally is returned, printed and taken up for consideration there promises to be some attention paid to the cost, to the state of Kentucky of gathering this information, which, Senator Burnam pointed out, is still withheld, and only the deductions submitted to the senate. The committee most probably will be asked to furnish the testimony on which the deductions are based. It is understood that one item of expense in connection with the inquiry will be something like \$113 for a jaunt to Louisville and a stay at the Seelbach. Mr. Charles Carroll was retained as attorney by the committee, but, Senator Taylor says, no amount of money was fixed for his services, no specific contract was made, and he will be permitted to present his bill for his services. What this amount will be, is not known.

There is a shrewd suspicion that the animus for the inquiry came from down Louisville way.

**The House Fly.**

Dr. Otto Driesen delivered a lecture at the Ufaia in Berlin a short time ago in which he employed motion pictures to illustrate the causes and effects of the sleeping sickness. He also showed a series of views which added strength to what he had to say of the common house fly, and in conclusion spoke of the moving picture as "a potent aid to the cause of education." Showing the house fly and its insinuating, poisoned characteristics will certainly do more good than a display of a multitude of manufactured scenes put together to illustrate a sentimental descriptive poem," he added.—New York Tribune.

The man who is willing to bet his bottom dollar seldom has to dig down very far.

## DEADLOCK ON DEEP WATERWAYS

LEGISLATURE ADJOURNS UNTIL TUESDAY MORNING.

Lorimer Men Active—Were Able to Stop Progress of the State Administration Forces.

CONFEREES ARE APPOINTED

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 25.—Deadlocked on the deep waterway question, the legislature adjourned until next Tuesday morning.

Followers of United States Senator Lorimer were able to stop the progress of the state administration forces. Representative Smejkal, of Chicago, who is chairman of the house committee of waterways, did not call a meeting of the committee to act on the Schmitt or state administration bill, and thus stopped progress until next week.

The Denen men claim that they will have a sufficient number of members of the committee to order the bill favorably reported if the committee gives the measure a hearing. Some believe the game of the anti-Denen men is to break a quorum, if possible, and thus prevent a test vote in the house.

The Denen men request for a conference committee on the commission form of government bill was granted, and Speaker Shurtliff appointed the following conferees on behalf of the house Representatives Gorman, of Peoria, Butts, of Peoria, McLaughlin and Sollitt, of Chicago, and Chesterfield, of Canton.

The house members are not willing to recede from their amendments or adopt the senate amendments. There was a quorum of the house present today and they blocked most of the important bills that were up. They practically killed Senator Jones' petition for nominations in smaller cities and towns by sending it to the committee on elections instead of advancing it to third reading, without reference to the committee.

The senate bill providing for connecting the sanitary district and the Illinois and Michigan canal by the removal of the bridge at Joliet was referred to the committee on canals and rivers, though Mr. Hull wanted it advanced to second reading without reference.

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**Basketball Game.**

The first High school basketball team will play the Olympian team this afternoon while the second High school team will play the Fountain Avenue Sunday school team. Both games will be played for the entertainment of the visitors to the oratorical contest.

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## The Evening Sun's Daily Markets.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25.—Today's receipts of hogs were 1,035; for the four days this week 4,298, as against 4,891 for the same days last week and 4,679 for a corresponding period two weeks ago. There was a very good local demand for good hogs, and with favorable advice from other markets, prices ranged from steady to a dime higher. Top hogs, choice, 165 lbs. and up, hit the new high mark of \$9.75; 130 to 165 lbs. sold at \$9.35; pigs were slow, at \$8.55 to \$9.00; roughs sold at \$9.20 down. The pens were well cleared; market closed steady.

**Cattle.**  
Receipts 168 head; for the four days this week 1,322 head. The attendance of buyers was light, and tendency of market was steady; principally local talent; the demand for heavy hogs was about steady, but little change in values or conditions. Choice handy weight butcher cattle were in good demand and full by steady to strong; medium and common kinds were about steady. The feeder and stocker market was quiet and unchanged. Bulls firm; canners and cutters steady. Milch cows unchanged. No heavy cattle here; feeling steady. The pens were well cleared; market closed steady.

**Calves.**  
Receipts 110 head; for the four days this week 808. The market ruled steady; best 8 1/2 @ 9c; medium 5 1/2 @ 7 1/2 c; common 2 1/2 @ 5c.

**Sheep and Lambs.**  
Receipts light; for the four days 81 head. The market ruled quiet, about steady; best sheep 3 1/2 @ 4 1/2 c; best lambs 6 @ 7c; common sheep and trashy cull lambs slow sale.

**St. Louis.—Cattle.**—Receipts 1,500, including 500 Texans; market steady; native beef steers \$4.60 @ 7.90; cows and heifers \$3.75 @ 6.50; stockers and feeders \$2.40 @ 5.25; Texas and Indian steers \$4.80 @ 6.65; cows and heifers \$3.25 @ 5; calves in carload lots \$7.75 @ 10. Hogs.—Receipts 5,000; market steady; pigs and lights \$8 @ 9.50; packers \$9.40 @ 9.60; butchers and best heavy \$9.50 @ 9.70. Sheep.—Receipts 500; market steady; native muttons \$4.75 @ 7; lambs \$7.60 @ 9.25.

**St. Louis.—Live hogs** today were sold for \$9.75 a hundred weight, 2 1/4 c higher than yesterday's record price.

**Tobacco Market.**  
Louisville, Ky., Feb. 25.—The offerings on the local breaks follow:  
Burley, 465; dark, 87. Original Inspection, 426; reviews, 126; total, 532. Rejections yesterday, 112. First sale tomorrow at the Planters House.  
Planters' warehouse sold 50 bbls. burley at \$10 to \$13.  
Central warehouse sold 55 bbls. burley at \$8.90 to \$18.25.  
Farmers' warehouse sold 125 bbls. burley at \$9.90 to \$15.50.  
Home warehouse sold 63 bbls. burley at \$11.50 to \$18.75.  
Pickett warehouse sold 75 bbls. burley at \$10.50 to \$18.75, and 15 bbls. dark at \$4.50 to \$11.25.  
Kentucky warehouse sold 49 bbls. burley at \$10.50 to \$16.75, and 25 bbls. dark at \$5.50 to \$12.75.  
Ninth Street warehouse sold 31 bbls. burley at \$6 to \$16.75, and 39 bbls. dark at \$4.55 to \$10.75.  
People's warehouse sold 53 bbls. burley at \$6.90 to \$21.50.  
Bet He Called 'Em Pants In Those Days.  
Homer Davenport, the cartoonist, played in a brass band many years ago. He was unable to be on hand when the uniforms came, and had to be put up with what was left.  
"The coat wasn't so bad," says Mr. Davenport, "but the trousers—Honest, I had to take two steps to make those trousers go one!"—Everybody's Magazine.  
It sometimes happens that by the time a young man can afford to marry he doesn't want to.

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## CIRCULATION JANUARY 1910.

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3.....6786	19.....6823
4.....6788	20.....6827
5.....6788	21.....6844
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7.....6799	23.....6805
8.....6805	24.....6796
9.....6809	25.....6792
10.....6813	26.....6798
11.....6819	27.....6802
12.....6821	28.....6800
13.....6822	29.....6779
14.....6822	30.....6779
15.....6822	31.....6779

Total ..... 176,975  
Average for January, 1910.....6806  
Average for January, 1909.....6150  
Increase ..... 1656

Personally appeared before me this 3rd day of February, 1910, R. D. MacMillan, Business Manager of The Sun, who affirms that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of its circulation for the month of January, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PUMYER,  
Notary Public.  
My commission expires January 10, 1912.

**Daily Thought.**  
Never be discouraged by a work half done. Poor work soon becomes habit, and weakens character.

We proudly call attention to the fact that the magazines in their fight against an increase in postal rates are carrying on an advertising campaign in The Evening Sun. The magazines know that the way to reach the people is through the columns of the daily newspaper.

The state farmers' institute was ruined as far as accomplishing any good was concerned, by the fight over the election of a state fair board between friends of Secretary J. W. Newman, and of Hubert Vreeland, brother of Graham Vreeland, head of the Frankfort lobby. Hubert wanted Newman's place, and it was thought his friends had defeated Newman; but Newman was re-elected. Something ought to be done to divorce the farmers' institute from this sort of politics.

## THE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD AND THE TALENT.

Although the county school board has decided to abolish McCracken county's only consolidated school and not to establish any more, it is something to get the county superintendent on record, endorsing the value of consolidation. However, when a course is recognized as an advanced one, it is not statesmanlike in the board or superintendent to give it up in the face of the first obstacle. That looks too much like failure of administration for lack of administrative ability.

If consolidated schools are best, and it is unfair to make the whole county pay for transportation, the superintendent and board should set themselves to devising means of getting around this difficulty. The superintendent admits that the obstacle has not proven insurmountable in other states. Our school system, like many others of our public functions, are languishing through lack of initiative and originality in our administrators. It is not sufficient for those in charge of our public schools and public roads and public institutions to point to the negative virtue of honest failure to take advantage of their opportunity to steal the public funds. We call their attention to the parable of the slothful servant, who wrapped his Lord's talent in a napkin and laid it away until his Lord's return. But his Lord had expected him to use the talent and increase it. So do we expect our public servants to increase the efficiency of their departments as well as prevent waste. We have gotten so far as to admit that the consolidated schools are best. Now, let us consolidate them, gentlemen.

## NOT A THOROUGHREDD.

It has been inferred that the legislative military report is to be used as campaign material by the Democrats of Kentucky; but there are many earmarks to betray its parentage. It is by Louisville Ring out of Night Rider, and not a thoroughbred Democrat, by any means, though no Republican legislators were allowed to be present at its birth. Great stress was laid on the tem-

peramental incapacity of that fine old Confederate veteran, Adjutant General P. P. Johnston, and the attack on the governor led precipitately up to the affairs of the First regiment at Louisville, where there was trouble among officers. A Louisville lawyer of the name of Carroll, prepared the report, which was brim full of vituperation, and lacked all the characteristics of a judicial finding; and the report was denied other papers and furnished to the Louisville Times, early enough that it was able to print it double column on the front page, with an elaborateness of display that indicated to the trained eye foreknowledge of the context, and the best way to show it up. The added touch was given the partisan character of the report, by the declaration of Republican members of the committee, that they had nothing to do with the investigation, and did not know of a single bit of evidence produced.

The Louisville Times, which was one of the papers that urged the governor to take the drastic steps he finally adopted, and that praised his efforts at the time, has difficulty in maintaining its balance. This is the way it attempts to:

With Gov. Willson's professed desire to enforce the law during the night rider rebellion, The Times was in open and hearty sympathy. Of his methods, beginning with the hectoring of the tobacco growers of the state like a lot of naughty school boys, when they petitioned him in convention to aid them in an open fight for their property rights against an all-powerful monopoly, continuing with his refusal to extend to the civil authority the recognition of the right guaranteed to them under the Constitution and the law, and culminating in the total collapse of his scheme of armed repression, with not one law violator brought to punishment and almost \$200,000 of the state's money squandered, there can be but one opinion.

The Times did not, during the night rider trouble, caution the governor to aid the farmers in their fight on the trust, nor does it now deign to explain how the governor could aid the farmers in fighting the tobacco trust.

No one could proceed against the trust otherwise than by law, and if there was no state law, the legislature, which was in session, and which professed friendship for the night riders, was negligent of its duty toward its friends. If there were laws, and the county and commonwealth's attorneys of the night rider district, did not prosecute the trust, then they were lacking in ability, as evidenced by the closing argument of the Times: "the total collapse of his armed repression, with not one law violator brought to punishment."

Such methods are beneath The Times, and we are surprised. The Times knows that the only way the trust can be fought is through the courts, and that the law officers—the commonwealth's and county attorneys and the courts, not the governor—are responsible for the prosecutions of night riders. The Times knows that the governor's effort at "armed repression" did not fail; because it did effectually stop depredations, and it knows that the failure to bring a violator to punishment is a reflection on the county and commonwealth's attorneys and courts of the Black Patch, and not on the governor.

The Times stood nobly by the governor during the fight, when rural papers were openly hostile, or afraid to speak their sentiments, and we are shocked to see it leagued in a common cause to discredit the military department of the state, after it had more than once expressed the pride of the state in the character of the troops, their discipline, and the decorum they manifested during their months of active service in a section where the ingenuity of the population was exerted to provoke them to excesses.

We cannot but believe that, had there been no trouble in the First regiment, the charge of violating the constitution in the Black Patch, never would have been made.

A lot of people, who are mad about the presence of lobbyists at the state capital, are not careful about the kind of men they elect to the state legislature. The best way to get rid of the flies and lobbyists, is to starve them. If we don't permit the kind of filth and legislatures that breed flies and lobbyists, we won't have flies and lobbyists. It is slow business trying to kill them off one at a time, while they are buzzing around the center of attraction. They breed faster than they can be killed.

## STATE PRESS.

**As G. W. Landrum Sees It.**  
Senator W. V. Eaton is authority for the statement that "We got Senator ... to join us by giving him a job as deputy warden at Edwille." That is the whole explanation in a nutshell as to the great acrobatic performances of the senator from the First senatorial district.—Smithland Banner.

## The Senators.

There are a number of state senators at Frankfort that seem to care as little for the constitution as they do for pre-election promises.—Cadiz Record.

## RAILROAD BRIDGE

PROJECT PROVING ACCURACY  
OF SUN'S NEWS.If Bill In Senate Is Concerned With  
N. C. & St. L.  
Plans.

How accurately The Evening Sun has reported the railroad situation about Paducah, is proven by an apparently well authenticated story from Washington, that the representatives of the Louisville & Nashville are seeking authority to construct a bridge across the Ohio river. That bridge was eventually to be built, and the Louisville & Nashville, and not the Burlington was to build it, were forecast in these columns last fall.

August 31, 1909, The Evening Sun said: "The Burlington system is not coming to Paducah, but has already made an agreement with the N. C. & St. L. for a southern outlet, and the L. & N., which is a big stockholder of the N. C. & St. L., has a crew of engineers and surveyors in Paducah now surveying for city terminals, and running a survey to Metropolis to take care of the Burlington. Milton H. Smith, president of the L. & N., sent for the Paducah Northern maps, and copies of the ordinances some time ago."

August 26, 1909, The Evening Sun said: "It is handed out as a sure tip that the N. C. & St. L. is going to erect a new and handsome station at a not very far distant date. The site is not many stones' throw from the present station at Fifth and Norton streets."

Application was made to the war department for permission to build the bridge last summer, and if the bill, introduced by Senator Bradley, is for the same enterprise, it corroborates The Evening Sun's information of seven months ago.

## HOTEL ARRIVALS

PALMER—E. G. Mabie, St. Louis; J. M. Calhoun, Central City; W. F. Priest, Evansville; L. F. Ross, Chicago; C. W. House, Louisville; Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Holland, La Center; T. L. Taylor, Madisonville; J. W. Elliott, Covington.

BELVEDERE—G. M. Hearne, St. Louis; Walter M. Elrod, Mt. Vernon, Ind.; S. F. Chase, Metropolis; J. L. Jones, Kuttawa; S. F. Taylor, Memphis; J. B. Sublett, Bowling Green; J. T. Gatlin, Paris; Charles Farmer, Fulton.

NEW RICHMOND—W. P. Marsh, Lawrenceburg; W. N. Bohannon and wife, Birmingham; R. L. Calhoun, Almo; J. H. Willis, Joppa; T. H. Wade, Metropolis; P. M. Martin and wife, Sallito, Tenn.; W. W. Woods, Clinton.

ST. NICHOLAS—E. R. Cox, Mt. Vernon; Oscar Lane, Jackson; B. D. Futtie, Jackson; T. C. Miles, Owensboro; J. H. Hurt, Hardin; C. Mathis, Charleston; B. C. Doorn, St. Louis; Chas. Brown and wife, Joppa. Corvin Cave, Wingo; Hub Bradley, Wingo; Tom Winborn, Savannah.

## Kentucky Kernels

Mrs. Joe Grubbs dies near Fulton. William T. Peter, of Marshall, dies. Willie Ledford, of Roaring Springs, dies.

Ladies furnishing store to open at Bardwell.

Infant child of Homer Starks, of Benton, dies.

Baby boy born to Mrs. George Page, of Bardwell.

Fifty-two gamblers caught in raid on joint at Danville.

R. S. Barr and Gertrude Morris, of Grand Rivers, marry.

Son born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sampson, at Bardwell.

Rufus Shelton dies of consumption near Harmony church.

Body of man found in quarry of workhouse at Louisville.

K. Robertson appointed master commissioner of Caloway.

Twins born to Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Gilkey near Wallonia.

Will Morton, of Owensboro, suffers severe injuries in mine at DeKoven.

William B. Young, of Princeton, accidentally kills himself while hunting.

Unknown man found in tool house on E. & C. at Lexington frozen to death.

J. J. Stranger and Miss S. C. Estes, of Benton, elope to Metropolis and marry.

Oscar Martin, assessor of Caldwell, ruptures blood vessel and in critical condition.

Les Tucker seriously wounds James Hanespiker at Owensboro for insulting his wife.

Charles Mathis arrested at Owensboro charged with assault of Miss Annie Duggins.

Two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Townsend, of Hickman, falls into fireplace and burns to death.

Mrs. Jess Autrey, Miss Nell Autrey and Wilson Autrey drowned when boat upset in river near Leitchfield.

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## HOW EATON VOTED

ASSISTED IN KILLING LOCAL  
OPTION BILL.How Senators Lined Up in Final  
Vote to Postpone Action.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—A trifle over seven weeks was the span of life enjoyed by the Watkins county unit bill. Its skin of destiny ran out to the last raveling in the Kentucky senate, when it died a quick and painless death, the process being known as "indefinite postponement," only one of the many ingenious and tortuous underground mazes into which the "third house" is able to conduct its victims, never more to return to earth.

The vote on the measure was 16 to 12. There was no misunderstanding as to the outcome of that vote. There was no flinching on either side. The anti-optionists had the votes, and the men who voted with them knew that they were killing the bill just as surely as if it had been killed in open session.

## How They Voted.

Their constituents also will know exactly how they voted. The vote was as follows:

To Kill the Bill—Bosworth, Catlett, Chipman, Combs, Dowling, Eaton, Hogg, Hubbell, Linn, Mathers, Newcomb, Ryan, E. M. Taylor, G. A. Taylor, Wright, Wyatt. Total, 16.

To Save the Bill—B. M. Arnett, Beard, R. D. Brown, Burman, Donaldson, Graham, Jarvis, H. H. Smith, J. T. Smith, Thomas, Vice, Watkins. Total, 12.

Paired—L. W. Arnett (against) with N. C. Cureton (for); E. Bertram (for) with Dr. B. F. Tichenor (against); B. C. Grigsby (for) with C. W. Nagel (against).

Absent Without Pairing—Gus Brown, A. J. Oliver, J. T. Prichard, R. L. Salmon.

The first three, whenever present, have voted with the optionists, as has Senator Salmon on several occasions, but not always.

Having disposed of the Vice and Watkins bills, there remains only one bill to be put out of the way by the liquor interests; the Waggoner measure, now safely ensconced in a favorable position on the calendar of the house.

## Only One Left.

After it passes the house this bill will go to the senate, where the dry men will rally around the option banner in a last effort to gain a victory. It probably will be as heroic and as fruitless as the charge of the old guard at Waterloo.

## NOW, BABY DOLL

STOP MAKING GOO-GOO EYES.  
IT'S NAUGHTY.Oh, You Kid! You've Gotta Quit  
Winking, Too.

"He that winketh with his eye causeth sorrow."—Proverbs 10th chapter.

In the midst of an informal gathering last evening at the First Baptist church the pastor, Rev. M. E. Dodd, lectured to the young people on the subject, "The Evil of Winking." The foregoing text was taken and the Reverend Dodd strongly denounced all forms of flirtation, the "goo-goo eyes" being especially attacked.

He told how "those beautiful eyes; those bewitching eyes" were among the greatest evils and the prominent part they figured in the flirtation problem. The flirt is generally defined as a pert girl or a coquette.

The social last night was for the new members, who had joined the church during the recent revival and was an informal affair. Mrs. Henry Daley favored the church people with a recitation. Over 150 people were in attendance and all of the new members became acquainted with the older ones. The social was held in the Sunday school room.

## RIVER NEWS

River Stages.	
Pittsburg	8.3 2.7 fall
Cincinnati	36.8 1.2 fall
Louisville	14.4 0.5 fall
Evansville	33.4 1.6 rise
Mt. Vernon	31.3 1.7 rise
Mt. Carmel	10.1 0.1 fall
Nashville	29.7 3.3 fall
Chattanooga	9.2 0.7 fall
Florence	9.5 1.5 fall
Johnsboro	20.4 0.8 fall
Cairo	33.2 1.8 fall
St. Louis	7.2 0.2 fall
Paducah	30.2 1.0 rise
Burnside	8.3 2.0 fall
Carthage	17.0 4.5 fall

**River Forecast.**  
The Ohio at Paducah will continue rising for the next 24 hours.

**Today's Arrivals.**  
John S. Hopkins from Evansville. John L. Lowmy from Evansville. Kentucky from Riverton, Ala. Dick Fowler from Cairo. Ohio from Golconda. George Cowling from Metropolis.

**Today's Departures.**  
Dick Fowler for Cairo. Ohio from Golconda. Cowling for Metropolis. Kentucky for Metropolis. Hopkins for Evansville. Condon for Joppa. American for Tennessee.

**River and Weather.**  
Gauge at 7 a. m. read 30.2 feet, indicating a rise of one foot since yesterday morning. Weather clear and warmer; business good.

**Notes and Personals.**  
The Dick Fowler returned from Cairo at 11:30 o'clock last night and departed for Cairo at 8 o'clock this morning. She will return this evening.

With a big tow of empties the towboat Pittsburgh passed up from Cairo at 11:30 o'clock last night en route to Pittsburgh, Pa. after another tow of coal.

The towboat Meter has arrived from the Tennessee with ties.

The Mary Anderson got in last night from Caseyville with a tow of coal. The tow was turned over to the Egan and she left for Memphis.

Pilots Tom and Jim Martin are taking the Egan to Memphis.

The towboat Russell Lord will leave tomorrow for White river after a tow of ties for the Ayer & Lord Tie company.

For the Tennessee river after ties the towboat I. N. Hook leaves tomorrow morning.

The towboat American departed this morning for the Tennessee after ties.

The towboat W. T. Hardison is now up the Tennessee and will bring out a tow of ties.

From Joppa the towboat Condor arrived early last night and tied up here for the night. She departed at 7:30 o'clock this morning with a tow of ties for Joppa.

Inspectors Green and St. John, of Nashville, are expected here today.

Capt. Mike Williams returned today from Cairo and Mound City.

Captain Shalcross, a marine insurance underwriter of Louisville, was here yesterday. He was on his way from Memphis to Louisville and left last night.

Capt. A. Berry, of Louisville, a marine insurance inspector, was here on business yesterday.

Capt. Austin Owen, for years pilot on the Bettie Owen, which burned several weeks ago, is homesome. In fact Captain Owen has been homesome since the day the Bettie was saved from sinking and was beached in a cornfield below the Illinois Central incline. Captain Owen piloted the Bettie for five years and was, at the wheel when the disastrous accident happened to her. Before that he piloted the ferryboat before the Owen for eight years. Day after day Captain Owen was at the wheel and it is a hard matter for him to keep away from the ferry landing.

## Big Amateur Show.

A superb amateur performance under the direction of Mrs. William Deal, house pianist for the Kentucky theater, is being arranged for presentation next Friday evening, followed by Saturday matinee for the benefit of children. The program has not been completed but is being worked into form. The performance will open with a grand costumed assembly of 16 children, representing all nations. A difficult march with figures will come next and a feature of this act will be a song by little Miss Verus Hollenberg, a favorite amateur. Another act will be six boys in black face, doing a cake walk for a big prize cake in the center of the stage. Master Sanders Keithley, dressed as a black mammy, will sing.

Four cash prizes will be awarded and judges will be selected from the audience. Prizes will be based on the merits of the performers and their costumes. Motion pictures and illustrated songs will also be featured. The evening performance will begin at 8 o'clock and the afternoon matinee at 2:15 o'clock.

## Prof. Deal Returns.

Professor William Deal returned home this morning from several points in Kentucky and also a visit in St. Louis. Professor Deal assisted in starting his production "Cab 23," on a circuit through the middle of Kentucky, including Madisonville, Morganfield, Earlinton and other points. The play opened last Saturday night at Shawneetown and is playing one night stands at each town. Practically the same cast is presenting it that did in this city. The play has met with much success and will finish the circuit next week. Professor Deal visited St. Louis in the interest of his musical play, "Miss Dorothy," which is now out on royalty in a circuit in Illinois. It opened at Chicago.

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## The Weather

Fair and warmer tonight. Saturday unsettled and warmer. Highest temperature today was 51. The low-est was 31.

Illinois: Washington, Feb. 25.—Fair and rising temperature Saturday.

Sun rose today ..... 5:58

Sun sets today ..... 6:16

Moon will rise ..... 6:16



## February Trousers

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# Announcement

We wish to announce that tomorrow, February 26, Miss Kent, representative of the Ladies' Home Journal Pattern Company, will be with us to demonstrate the merits of this pattern. We cordially invite every one interested in patterns to meet Miss Kent, who will explain all the good ideas to be gotten from this up-to-date pattern. New spring Quarterly now on sale .. ..

## At Rudy's

### THE LOCAL NEWS

- GET IT AT GILBERT'S.
- Dr. Gilbert, Osteopath, 642 Broadway. Phone 196.
- Rubber stamps, seals, brass stencils, etc., at The Sun office.
- Linen markers for sale at this office.
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- For Rheumatism take Hays' Specific.
- Sign writing. G. R. Sexton. Phone 401.
- For malaria and chills, take Hays' Specific.
- If you appreciate good coffee, visit Buchanan's restaurant, 219 Kentucky avenue. Open day and night.
- Flower Seeds that will grow enough to supply all Paducah, now on sale. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
- Our Lawn Grass Seed is now here. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
- For Stomach Trouble, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, take Hays' Specific.
- As we have no rush jobs on hand at present we are now more ably prepared to give you fine workmanship on carriage and automobile painting, also carriage repairing and rubber tires. Sexton Sign Works. Both phones 401.
- For Eczema or impure blood take Hays' Specific.
- Taxicabs for hire. One or two people 50c any part of city. Day or night. Both phones 843.
- For Constipation or Torpid Liver take Hays' Specific.
- For dry oak stove wood, heating wood and kindling, phone 203, only big wood yard in city. Johnston Fuel Co.
- Our Lawn Grass Seed is now here. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
- Just received car Anthracite coal. Both phones 70. Barry & Henneberger.
- Our Lawn Grass Seed is now here. Brunson's, 529 Broadway.
- Mr. and Mrs. William Ruoff, of Tennessee street, are the parents of a fine boy baby.
- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rottger, of the Independent Telephone company, is confined at his home, 117 North Seventh street, with the grip.
- Isaac L. Da Vies, the well known clerk at J. A. Rudy & Sons, on Broadway, was removed from his room at the Belvedere hotel at 9 o'clock this morning in Matti, Effinger & Roth's

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### Cold Tablets Certainly Cure Colds

Hardly a day passes but that someone who has been miserable and suffering with a terrific cold tells us of the benefit the tablets brought.

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## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

### Popular La Center Couple Marry.

A pretty home wedding was that of Miss Hattie May Miller and Mr. Simon Kenton Holland, which took place yesterday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Miller, near La Center. The Rev. H. B. Terry, of the Methodist church, was the officiating minister. The wedding march was played by Miss Anna Rollings.

The house was attractively decorated with flowers and plants. Miss Ruby Miller was the maid of honor and Mr. James Grover Holland, of St. Louis, was the best man. The bride was becomingly gowned in white made princess and elaborately braided. She carried white carnations. The maid of honor wore pink and carried pink carnations.

The couple left at 7 o'clock for Paducah. From here they will go to visit the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Holland, in Marshall county, and will visit also in Nashville, Tenn., and Scottsville, Ky. They will be at home in La Center after two weeks.

### Reception-Dance for Visitors.

The students of the Paducah High school will give a reception-dance in honor of the visiting schools this evening at the Three Links building, following the oratorical contest at the Kentucky theater. The Boys and Girls Athletic club have charge of the affair. The guest list includes the visitors, the students and the faculty of the Paducah High school.

### Important Meeting.

The Junior Warden Missionary society of the Broadway Methodist church will meet Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the downstairs parlor of the church. As it is the last meeting of the missionary year it is imperative that all the members should be present with their pledges. The annual election of officers will be held.

### Children's Hour at the Library.

Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock will be "story hour" for the children at the Carnegie library. "Helen's Babies" will be attractively featured with the story of "Budge's Version of the Flood."

The weekly "story hours" are being largely attended. Miss Hopkins and Miss Johnston have quite captivated the children.

### Magazine Club With Miss Scott.

Miss Julia Scott was the hostess of the Magazine club yesterday afternoon at her home on Madison street. It was a delightful meeting of the club.

The magazines reported were widely varied in interest and were cleverly given. The North American Review was splendidly handled by Miss Helen Lowry and Miss Dow Husbands. Mrs. E. G. Boone gave an attractive resume of the Outlook. The Century was delightfully featured by Mrs. Samuel T. Hubbard. A prettily appointed two-course luncheon was served at the conclusion of the magazine reports. The club colors, white and gold, were attractively carried out. The pretty individual cakes were iced to represent large yellow chrysanthemums. White carnations were the guest souvenirs.

Miss Margaret Lowry, of Lexington, was a charming out-of-town guest.

### Formerly Lived Here.

Mrs. C. M. Thompson, wife of the pastor of the Baptist church, is in Newark, Ohio, attending the bedside of her mother, who is critically ill from a stroke of paralysis.—Hopkinsville News Era.

### The Hospital League.

The Hospital league meets with Mrs. P. H. Stewart this afternoon, at her home on North Ninth street.

### Pictures and Music.

An interesting "Stereopticon Travelogue Through China" was enjoyed last night at the Broadway Methodist church under the auspices of the Junior Warden Missionary society. The 100 views of the "Dragon Empire" covered a wide range of subject and many of them were especially beautiful. They were all hand-colored. Miss Elizabeth Graham, of the High school faculty "personally conducted" the audience in attractive way. Preceding the pictures there was a pleasing musical program. Miss Newell played with brilliancy and charm a beautiful Polka-Caprice by Raff. Mrs. Roy Gresham sang very delightfully "Little Boy Blue" and "Love's Philosophy."

### Rudolph-Kinchoe.

Metropolis, Ill., Feb. 23. (Special.)—Mr. Webb Kinchoe, a harness-maker of 1115 South Third street, Paducah, and Miss Myrtle Rudolph, of that city, were married here today by Squire Liggett. Both returned to Paducah after the ceremony and will make their home there.

### Kalopsophic Club Today.

The Kalopsophic club met this morning at 10 o'clock at the Woman's club house. The program was an attractive discussion of "Louise de la Valliere" by Miss Faith Langstaff, and "Current Events," presented by Mrs. Allison Trier.

### Art Department Tomorrow.

The Art department of the Woman's club will meet in an extra session tomorrow morning at the club house. The Dutch painters, Cuyper,

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Hobbema and Ruysdael, will be discussed. Miss Gilson will preside.

Miss Virginia and Torian Tate, of Madisonville, will arrive this evening to attend the oratorical contest. They will be the guests of Mr. R. L. Tate, of 223 Harahan boulevard.

Miss Virginia Mayes, of Princeton, arrived this afternoon on a visit to Miss Lorraine Sutherland, 714 Broadway.

Miss Mary Barry, of 621 Madison street, has returned from Paris, where she attended the Elks' ball.

Mrs. A. Doup returned last night from Cincinnati and Louisville, where she purchased millinery.

Mrs. Calhoun Ancrum, of Honolulu, left today for Benton for a visit to relatives. She has been the guest of her cousin, Miss Lula Reed. From Benton Mrs. Ancrum will go to Camden, N. J.

Mr. E. W. Whittemore has returned from Princeton, where he attended the inspection of the Princeton commandery of the Knights Templar.

Miss Martha Kelley and Martha McAnahan, of Hopkinsville, arrived today to attend the oratorical contest. They are the guests of Miss Lucille Harth, of North Ninth street.

Mrs. J. T. Franks and son, of Denver, arrived in the city yesterday on a visit to Mrs. Franks' brother, Mr. H. H. Loving.

Miss Virginia Mayes, of Princeton, arrived today to attend the oratorical contest. She is the guest of Miss Lorraine Sutherland.

Miss Ada Morton arrived today from Madisonville and is the guest of Miss Beesie Smith, of the Terrell apartments.

Miss Faith Taylor, of Madisonville, arrived today to attend the oratorical contest. She is the guest of Miss Marjorie Loving.

Mrs. L. B. McGregory, of Sixteenth and Tennessee streets, is visiting Mrs. A. L. Russell, of Central City.

Miss Rosa Goldammer, of Princeton, arrived today on a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Downs, of the Sans Souci apartments.

Miss Mary Lou Griffith, of Mayfield, arrived today on a visit to Mrs. Lawrence Gleaves, of North Seventh street.

Miss Dora Draffen, of Calvert City, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. A. Bowyer, 1209 Jefferson street, returned last night from a visit in Cincinnati and Louisville.

Mr. Spencer Starks arrived last night from Mississippi to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Starks, 425 Washington street.

Miss Happy Newell, of Paris, Tenn., will arrive this evening to visit her sister, Miss Virginia Newell, 403 North Seventh street.

Mrs. T. C. Finley and son will leave in a few days for Waterloo, Iowa, to spend the summer. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Ethel M. Clark.

Misses Lena McGary, Mary Cobb and Bertha Conley, of Madisonville, will arrive this evening to attend the oratorical contest. While in the city they will be the guests of Mrs. Joe Stanfield, 1309 Jackson street.

Col. Charles F. Jarrett, a former Paducahan, now living in Hopkinsville, accompanied the Hopkinsville delegation for the oratorical contest to Paducah this morning.

Miss Emma Smith, of Piqua, Ohio, left last night for her home after spending a week with her cousin, Mrs. C. F. Yates, 132 Farley place, on route from attending Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Dreese, of Kansas City, Kas., arrived last night on a visit to their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sisson, 521 Clark street.

Magistrate and Mrs. Charles W. Emery will return tomorrow night from Louisville and Frankfort, where they have been for several days.

### RAILROADS REFUSE TO MEET DEMANDS OF THEIR EMPLOYEES

Cleveland, Feb. 25.—The repulse of the southern railroads to wage demands of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and Order of Railway Conductors were opened today. The refusal of the roads to meet the men's terms was unanimous. It is certain that any action taken by the men to press their demands will be simultaneous in the east and south. The result of the strike vote of the B. & O. men will be made known to President Lee of the trainmen, and Grand Master Garretson, of the conductors, next week. If the decision is to call a strike, as it is expected, the executive councils of the two orders are expected to submit to the men on all lines the question of whether a general strike shall be called.

Notes bear interest only when so stated.

### GROUND HOG MADE A MISTAKE

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### WITH THE SICK.

Mr. Frank Ritter, the popular mechanic of the Kentucky Auto and Machine company, is ill of the grip at his home on West Clay street.

Mr. E. Futrell, a prominent farmer of Lone Oak, is ill of the grip.

Emmett Walker, 621 Jefferson street, is ill of the grip.

Mrs. John Hessian, of 620 Tennessee street, is able to be up after a several week's illness.

Miss Magdalene Terrell, 1013 Jones street, is seriously ill at her home.

Mrs. W. H. Parsons, 1600 Broadway street, is ill of the grip.

Mrs. Joseph Leuch, 613 White street, is ill of pneumonia at her home.

Dr. J. S. Troutman, of Mechanicsburg, is ill of the grip.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vick, 815 South Third street, is ill of pneumonia.

Mr. Ed Farrell, 1322 Broadway, is ill of the grip.

## BETTIE OWEN

### LOSS ADJUSTED BY CAPT. J. L. SHALCROSS.

### Helena Shipyard Man Is Here Figuring On Successor to the Bettie.

Captain J. L. Shalcross, of Louisville, a marine insurance underwriter, returned home today after adjusting the loss of the burned ferryboat Bettie Owen. The boat was insured for \$10,000 in four companies and the owners, the Paducah & Illinois Ferry company, were paid the face of the policy and the wreck was turned over to them. Practically \$1,000 will be realized from the wreckage.

Capt. Murnan, of the Helena Shipyards & Docking company, arrived here today to present figures for a new ferryboat. Several bids have been received by the ferry company, which is reserving them until the arrival of the representative of the Howard Shipyards at Jeffersonville, Ind. The contract will not be let until after all bids are considered. The Howard ship building plant will send a man here by tomorrow it is thought.

### Attell Wins Easily.

New York, Feb. 25.—Abe Attell, featherweight champion, defeated Frankie Neil in a ten round bout last night. It was Attell's fight from start to finish. Neil was exhausted after the second round.

### Edmundo Sails Away.

New York, Feb. 25.—Baron Edmundo, mayor of Des Planches, retiring Italian ambassador, sailed today for his new post at Constantinople.

### Six Killed in Snowslide.

Missoula, Mont., Feb. 25.—Six persons were killed in a snowslide in the Bitter Root mountains today. The bodies of four prospectors were recovered and sixty section hands are digging for the other two passengers, one of them a woman. The accident happened at Adair, a tank station. The shacks of the prospectors were demolished.

### IN BALLINGER'S FAVOR.

### United States Marshal Coming From Alaska to Testify.

Seattle, Feb. 25.—United States Marshal H. K. Love, of Alaska, arrived in Seattle today on the way to Washington to testify before the Ballinger-Pinchot committee. Love said: "All my testimony respecting the Cunningham group of claims will be in favor of the secretary of the interior. If any one is responsible for the admission of the entries it is myself, for I recommended the entries to Ballinger. His acts relative to the claims were directly on my recommendations as special agent of the land office."

### Lord Cochrane's Fine.

Perhaps the greatest curiosity of the Bank of England possesses is a note of £1,000, the sum Lord Cochrane paid as a fine for his connection with a fraud on the public, with which he really had nothing to do. He endorsed the note thus: "My health having suffered by long and close confinement and my oppressors having resolved to deprive me of property or life, I submit to robbery to protect myself from murder, in the hope that I shall live to bring the delinquents to justice.—Cochrane." He wrote from the grated chamber of King's Bench prison.—Exchange.

A contract made with a lunatic is void.

## WANT ADS.

### EIGHT horse motor for sale cheap at The Sun office.

HAIR GOODS—Made to order, Louvenia Miller. Old phone 374-A.

WANTED—Lady demonstrators at 520 N. 6th St., from 4 to 5 p. m.

FOR SALE—Stove and heating wood. Old Phone 437.

WANTED—To insure your house or household goods. Smith & Davis.

YOU CAN get Watkins remedies at 406 South Fourth. Old phone 1590.

FOR SALE—Horse, 2-seated light wagon. Mrs. Taylor, 7th and Clark.

TEAMS wanted at once; Fourth and Broadway. Contractor Weikel.

HAIR WORK—Phone 2114. Lillian Robinson.

WANTED—To buy furniture and stoves. O. W. Baugh, 205 South Third. New phone 901.

FOR SALE—Real cheap, buggies and wagons. Sexton Sign Works, 16th and Madison. Both phones 401.

CLOTHING cleaned by Dalton is always satisfactory. Phone 685. Dalton does the best dyeing in the city.

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FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms with modern conveniences. 626 Kentucky avenue.

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FURNISHED room for rent. Steam heated and modern conveniences. Apply 417 Washington.

FOR RENT—One steam heated apartment in Cochran apartments; 4 rooms and bath. W. E. Cochran.

FOR RENT—Five room modern house, 414 Madison. Phone J. P. Smith, or 1573-r.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms with bath and electric lights. Mrs. Taylor, Seventh and Clark.

BLUE GRASS—Now is the time to sow. Get the best at Yopp's seed store.

WANTED—Ten loads of old, well-rotted manure. Phone 203. Johnston Fuel Co.

FOUND—The cheapest place to buy furniture. Williams, 501 South Third.

FOR SALE—My Maxwell automobile, in perfect condition. W. E. Cochran, 325 Broadway.

FOR RENT—Modern, up-to-date six-room cottage; desirable location. Telephone 86.

FOR RENT—Store house occupied by Read & Alloway, Third street D. A. Yeiser.

WANTED—To buy a second-hand gasoline engine, 8 or 10 H. P. K. D. Suell, 1211 Salem avenue. New phone 1188.

FOR RENT—Three furnished or unfurnished rooms, water, lights and phone rent paid. Address G. care Sun. Give phone number.

PIANO tuning and repairing by experts only. All work guaranteed. J. M. Jones Piano Co., 218 Broadway. Old phone 511-A.

FOR SALE—11 room house, suitable for apartment house; also one vacant lot. Apply 428 South Ninth. Old phone 649-A.

FREE OF CHARGE—All White sewing machines adjusted free of charge at F. N. Gardner, Jr., Co. Either phone 396.

WE WASH lace curtains very carefully. Get them cleaner and whiter than you could at home, Star Laundry. Phone 200.

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FOR SALE—Cotton seed feed at Illinois Coal and Feed company; \$30 a ton while it lasts. Sixteenth and Tennessee.

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FURNISHED rooms with fire, electric lights, hot bath and phone; \$8, \$10 and \$12 per month. Mrs. Woolfolk, 408 Washington street.

WANT to do your watch and jewelry repairing. All work first class W. N. Warren, jeweler, 403 Broadway.

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FOR RENT—7 room house; modern conveniences. 441 South Ninth. Apply 716 Kentucky avenue.

FIVE ROOM FLAT with bath and lights, on the corner of Seventh and Clay. Apply 532 North Seventh St.

FOR RENT—3 rooms, convenient for light housekeeping. Steam heated and light furnished. Apply 417 Washington. Old phone 2130.

FOR SALE—Cheap for cash, span of mules, wagon and harness. Can be seen at Powell and Hickory streets, Mechanicsburg. John Davis.

WANTED—At once. Gentleman or ladies with fair education. Salaries \$2.50 per day. Also one traveling manager. Salary \$18 weekly. Apply 231 South Fourth.

STRAYED—One female fox terrier. Answers to name of Trixie. Finder return to Parley & Fisher's veterinary hospital, 429 South Third, and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Two Vulcan plows, two sections Zig Zag harrow, one garden Cultivator, one two-horse road wagon. Bargains if sold at once. Johnston Fuel Co. Both phones 203.

KID GLOVES cleaned 10c to 25c. Neckties cleaned 10c, hats, 50c. Ladies' and gentlemen's garments cleaned, pressed and repaired. French Cleaning and Dyers Co., 113 South Fourth. New phone 480.

WE STARCH lace curtains. Just the degree of stiffness that makes them hang nicely, and dry them upon frames that make them square, and stretch them smooth and even. Star Laundry. Phone 200.

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For sale and recommended by W. J. Gilbert.

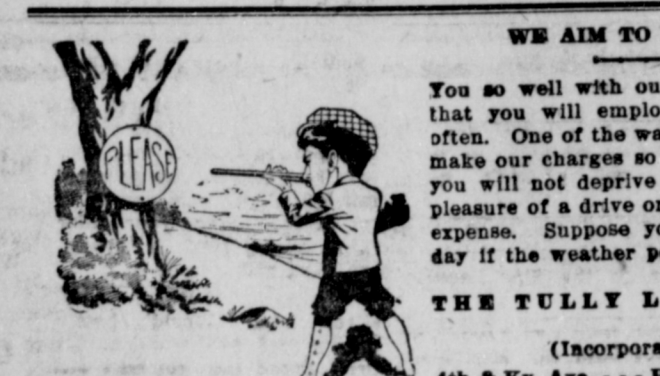
**Perkins Holds His Own.** Washington, Feb. 24.—Despite the prediction of his physicians Tuesday that the end was only a question of hours, Representative Perkins, of New York, is still successfully battling against death. His condition this morning was reported about the same as yesterday afternoon, when Vice President and Mrs. Sherman called at the hospital.

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# TOO MUCH PAID TO RAILROADS

ONE OF THE CAUSES FOR BIG POSTAL DEFICIT.

Congressman Cox Says If Railway Mail Pay is Reduced it Will Have Good Effect on Revenues.

HE ATTACKS WHOLE SYSTEM

Washington, Feb. 25.—Representative William E. Cox, a member of the committee on postoffices and postroads, made a speech in the house in which he charged that the railroads are excessively paid for carrying the mails and that is one of the principal causes of the big postal deficit. He created somewhat of a sensation by pointing out the enormous revenues the railroads get by leasing postal railway cars to the government. In part he said:

"The railroads haul express from New York to San Francisco from two to three times cheaper than they haul the mail for the government, yet both express and the mail is handled by their own agents and the railroad companies have substantially the same cost in hauling both mail and express."

"The railroads are paid by the pound for hauling the mails, and in addition to this they receive large sums of money as rent for the use of their postoffice cars. There was paid to them this year \$4,800,000 as rent for the use of their cars, and this sum of money was paid for the use of 1,342 cars, giving to the railroads \$3,575 for each car."

"The interest upon this investment is equal to about 6 per cent interest upon \$59,000, and I dare say that an average mile of railroad in its construction does not cost this much. No business man on earth can stand this drain, not even the United States Steel Trust or John D. Rockefeller, and I fear that Uncle Sam cannot much longer endure this financial drain."

"Here is the 'nigger in the woodpile; he is a large, husky fellow, responsible for the deficit of the postoffice, and if the entire system is overhauled, we will get the same service and soon wipe out the deficit."

**Struck a Rich Mine.** S. W. Bonds of Coal City, Ala., says he struck a perfect mine of health in Dr. King's New Life Pills, for they cured him of Liver and Kidney Trouble after 12 years of suffering. They are the best pills on earth for Constipation, Malaria, Headache, Dyspepsia, Debility. 25c at all druggists.

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\$17 Oak Leather Rocker at .....\$12.00  
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\$1.00 Celery Tray.....50c  
60c Comb and Brush Tray at .....30c  
\$1.75 Cracker Jar.....85c  
\$3.00 Cracker Jar.....\$1.50  
\$1.50 Fern Dish.....75c  
\$1.50 Syrup Stand.....75c  
\$1.00 Olive Dish.....50c  
\$1.25 Jap Vase.....65c  
65c Pickle Dish.....33c  
\$3.00 Chocolate Pot.....\$1.50  
\$2.50 Chocolate Set.....\$1.25  
30c Hair Rec.....15c  
65c Hair Rec.....33c  
35c Puff Box.....17c  
65c Puff Box.....33c  
\$4.00 Jug.....\$2.00  
\$3.00 Jug.....\$1.50

\$2.00 Jug.....\$1.00  
\$1.50 Jug.....75c  
\$1.00 Jug.....50c  
\$2.00 Salad Bowl.....\$1  
\$1.50 Salad Bowl.....75c  
\$1.25 Salad Bowl.....65c  
\$1.00 Salad Bowl.....50c  
75c Salad Bowl.....38c  
50c Salad Bowl.....25c  
\$2.50 Hand-Painted Plate at .....\$1.25  
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\$1.00 Hand-Painted Plate at .....50c  
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\$1.50 Lace Curtains.....\$1.15  
\$1.75 Lace Curtains.....\$1.35  
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## GLASSES

OF NOTED STATESMAN SLIP DOWN FAIR LADY'S BACK.

And Husband Calmly Yanks Them Out—Amusing Incident at Army and Navy Reception.

New York, Feb. 25.—A Washington dispatch says:

"Over the telegraphs this afternoon Washington society laughed heartily about two white house incidents at the army and navy reception last Tuesday which are going the rounds of cheerful gossip. The Lenten season is a dull one, and today was one of the dullest days—no dinner parties, no dances, no receptions—so the two really noteworthy anecdotes filled a gap in the day's amusement."

"The dramatic personae of the first story includes a celebrated statesman rather than in years, who wears glasses. While trying to adjust them to his aquiline nose on Tuesday night they slipped from his fingers—not to the floor but down the low-cut gown of a young navy matron who was standing in front of him."

"The statesman was in despair, and finally appealed to the lady's husband to recover his property. With the usual thoughtlessness of married men, Mr. Husband reached down his wife's back and fished out the glasses before all the guests."

"The other laughable incident came when a careless dancer caught her hand in the imposing coiffure of a stately white-haired Washington matron, displacing several of the puffs and curls. Much chagrined, she fixed it back again, but alas! had least \$30 worth of the puffs had fallen to the ground."

"An absent-minded admiral of national renown picked up the snow-white puffs, mistaking them for his pocket handkerchief, and put them in his pocket and stalked majestically off to his carriage."

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## LETTERS! LETTERS!

CONGRESSMEN FLOODED WITH ALL KINDS OF THEM.

Also Postal Bank and Commander Peary Are Chief Subjects.

Washington, Feb. 24. (United Press.)—These are halcyon days for the ready letter writer.

If the flood of communications to congressmen protesting against any increase in the postal rates on second class matter should continue the troublesome deficit of the postoffice department might be wiped out without any special legislation. Every member of the lower house is receiving from 250 to 300 letters a day from constituents on this and other subjects now pending before congress.

Next in popularity with the correspondents after the postal question comes the tax on oleomargarine. Folks in the dairy district are protesting against repealing the tax, and letters just as vehement from the south ask that the tax be repealed. "It is just as good as butter," wrote a man from Texas to one congressman, "and I protest, sir, against this class legislation." "Oleomargarine is a fraud," read the next letter the same congressman opened, "and is a rank imitation of butter. Every dairymen in the United States asks that the tax be retained."

Then comes the postal savings bank proposition. Many letters objecting to the bill are identical in wording and even written on the same kind of paper, and the suspicion is strong that they emanate from some particularly interested financial quarter.

"Repeal the corporation tax," demand other letters received by the score from all parts of the union. Ship subsidy, the making of Commander Peary a rear admiral and the conservation of natural resources come in for their share of epistolary attention. Then there is women's suffrage. The suffragettes have a well organized lobby here, and they have started a flood of letters toward Washington on the endless chain plan. Mixed in with these come letters asking for seeds. "Impeach Judges Grosscup and Pollock" is the text for others. Many of the letters have come in response to appeals to "write to your congressman at once" printed in the various "muck-raking" magazines.

The visitor looking into a congressman's office, finds the tables, desks, chairs and floor littered with letters, and the congressman's clerk and several stenographers busy punching out answers. Several of the most harassed have installed dupli-

cating machines guaranteed by their makers to simulate typewriting perfectly and form letters are printed thereon adapted to various subjects.

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**Doctor is Arrested.**

Monroe City, Mo., Feb. 24.—Dr. James T. Hull, of Monroe City, was arrested this morning on warrant issued at the request of Prosecuting Attorney Rieger, of Adair county, following a post mortem when strychnine is said to have been found in the stomach of the late Prof. J. T. Vaughan, of Kirksville. Dr. Hull was taken to the Maddox hotel and there turned over to a deputy from Kirksville. Then they left for Kirksville, where he will either be placed in jail or released on bond.

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one-half the annual salary; New Jersey, not less than \$250 or more than \$650; California, from \$50 to \$50 a month; Minneapolis, a uniform rate of \$500 a year, and St. Paul, a uniform rate of \$480.—Century Magazine.

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Ar. Chattanooga	4:30 pm
Ar. Paducah	2:10 pm
Ar. Nashville	3:10 pm
Ar. Memphis	4:10 pm
Ar. Hickman	5:10 pm
Ar. Chattanooga	6:10 pm
Ar. Jackson	7:35 pm
Ar. Atlanta	7:10 am
Ar. Paducah	6:00 pm
Ar. Murray	7:32 pm
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**L. C. TIME TABLE.**  
 Corrected to November 14th, 1909  
 Arrive Paducah.

Louisville, Cincinnati, east.	2:52 am
Louisville, Cincinnati, east.	4:15 pm
Louisville, Cincinnati, east.	6:10 pm
Memphis, N. Orleans, south.	1:28 pm
Memphis, N. Orleans, south.	11:20 am
Mayfield and Fulton	7:40 am
Paducah, Fulton, Mayfield	8:00 am
Princeton and Evansville	6:10 pm
Princeton and Evansville	4:15 pm
Princeton and Evansville	9:00 am
Paducah, St. Louis, Chicago	7:35 am
Paducah, St. Louis, Chicago	8:00 pm
Met'lis, Car'dale, St. L.	11:00 am
Met'lis, Car'dale, St. L.	8:35 pm

**Leaves Paducah.**

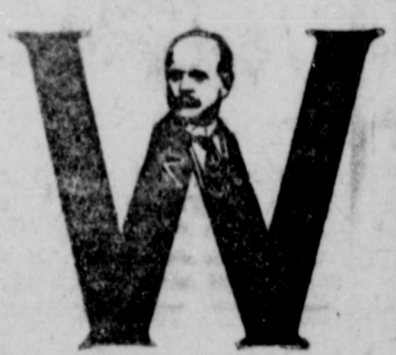
Louisville, Cincinnati, east.	1:33 am
Louisville, Cincinnati, east.	7:50 am
Louisville, Cincinnati, east.	11:25 am
Memphis, N. Orleans, south.	5:57 am
Memphis, N. Orleans, south.	6:15 pm
Mayfield and Fulton	4:20 pm
Paducah, Fulton, Mayfield	4:30 am
Princeton and Evansville	1:33 am
Princeton and Evansville	11:25 am
Princeton and Evansville	3:40 pm
Paducah, St. Louis, Chicago	9:10 am
Paducah, St. Louis, Chicago	6:20 pm
Met'lis, Car'dale, St. L.	9:40 am
Met'lis, Car'dale, St. L.	4:20 pm

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**EXCURSION BULLETIN**

Dallas, Texas. — Layman's missionary movement — Dates of sale February 16, 17 and 18, 1910. Return limit March 15, 1910. Round trip rate \$25.00.

New Orleans, La.—Annual Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine. Dates of sale April 8, 9, 10 and 11, 1910. Return limit April 25 with privilege of extension until May 10th upon payment of \$1.00 additional. Round trip rate \$17.05.

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**WELL EQUIPPED WAS CAIRO MOB**

**ROPE, SLEDGE HAMMER AND COLD CHISEL FOUND.**

**Sheriff Tipped Off By Some One Where Things Were Hidden in Closet.**

**KNEW NOTHING ABOUT IT.**

Cairo, Ill., Feb. 25.—There were some sensational developments in connection with the mob of last week, which demonstrated that the affair was not a "blind" but that the leaders meant business. The evening before Sheriff Nellis had received a "tip" that the paraphernalia with which the mob had supplied itself was hidden in Rudy Laurent's saloon at the corner of Nineteenth street and Washington avenue, only a block from the court house. He notified Adjt.-Gen. Dickson and States' Attorney Wilson was notified. After consultation Chief Egan was called in and Mr. Laurent was requested to come to the court house. The officers informed Mr. Laurent that the information stated had been given and he was asked about it. He said he knew nothing at all about it. If the things were in his place they were placed there without his knowledge and he had not seen it. To the proposition that his place be searched he readily consented and the officers went there and in a closet in the rear part of the saloon found a rope, a sledge hammer, and a cold chisel, the latter a new one and of the kind usually used for heavy work. The rope was a three quarter inch rope and there was enough for two. The articles were turned over to the sheriff for safe keeping.

Mr. Laurent's statement is that when the crowd came back from the court house they packed his saloon so full that he could see little or nothing that was done by anyone near him; he did not know that any one had any of the things referred to, and could not have seen what was done with them. Mr. Laurent's readiness to have his place searched, and the fact that the things had remained where they were found for a week, was accepted as proof of his innocence. The closet where the things were found was one where things are put out of the way and the things could easily have been placed there without Mr. Laurent's knowledge and remained there indefinitely.

**R. R. Treadway Here.**  
 Mr. R. R. Treadway, of Atlanta, Ga., is here visiting his wife who has been ill for several weeks. Mr. Treadway, a former member of the board of education of the Paducah public schools, is now a guard at the federal prison at Atlanta. He is pleased with his new location and the climate.

Mrs. Wayback—And are the city people as smart as they say, Ezra?  
 Mr. Wayback (late returned from the city)—Well, I should say not. Talk about ignorance. They've even got to have signs in their subway telling them which way is up and which way is down.—Brooklyn Life.

**SHE QUIT.**  
 But It Was a Hard Pull.

It is hard to believe that coffee will put a person in such a condition as it did an Ohio woman. She tells her own story:  
 "I did not believe coffee caused my trouble, and frequently said I liked it so well I would not, and could not quit drinking it, but I was a miserable sufferer from heart trouble and nervous prostration for four years.

"I was scarcely able to be around, had no energy and did not care for anything. Was emaciated and had a constant pain around my heart until I thought I could not endure it. For months I never went to bed expecting to get up in the morning. I felt as though I was liable to die any time.

"Frequently I had nervous chills and the least excitement would drive sleep away, and any little noise would upset me terribly. I was gradually getting worse until finally one time it came over me and I asked myself what's the use of being sick all the time and buying medicine so that I could indulge myself in coffee?

"So I thought I would see if I could quit drinking coffee and get some Postum to help me quit. I made it strictly according to directions and I want to tell you, that change was the greatest step in my life. I was easy to quit coffee because I had the Postum which I now like better than the old coffee.

"One by one the old troubles left, until now I am in splendid health, nerves steady, heart all right and the pain all gone. Never have any more nervous chills, don't take any medicine, can do all my housework and have done a great deal beside."

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"I hope you will be interested in yonder gentleman," said the hostess. "I have assigned him to take you out to dinner."  
 "I shall be," responded the lady addressed. "That gentleman was formerly my husband, and he's behind with his alimony."—Kansas City Journal.

**Life on Panama Canal**  
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**Text of Governor Willson's Special Message to State Legislature.**

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 25.—Gov. Willson sent another message to the general assembly. The governor first says he is in duty bound to call the attention of the general assembly to the fact that there is no provision in our constitution for the appointment of presidential electors. This oversight, he recommends, should be remedied.

The governor also recommends that some action be taken to exempt the Lincoln Farm association from taxes, and recommends an annual appropriation of \$1,500 to maintain the farm memorial and statue of Lincoln at Hodgenville.

He approves the naming of the road from Louisville to Hodgenville "Lincoln Way."

**Progress in Schools.**  
 He then takes up the need for progress in our school laws, and says the laws need radical changes. We have 25,000 school trustees in Kentucky, 5,000 of whom cannot read or write, and 20,000 who take no interest in their duties. The governor goes at length into the educational system and situation. He says:

"When he have \$3,000,000 a year for schools and only 311,000 children in school and 416,000 out of school, and 300,000 who cannot go to a school because they have no school, something must be done about it right away. With all that money there should be school houses and teachers for every child in Kentucky. We raise the money, but we do not take proper care to see that the children get the worth of it."

**Money Wasted.**  
 The governor says a million and a half dollars is wasted annually, and continues:

"Thousands of unfaithful agents and trustees have wasted or appropriated the common-school moneys and are now clamoring against the new school law and against further good changes, and are scheming to get the funds in their control again."

"For the love of our Kentucky children, for the hope, the honor, the welfare of Kentucky and for the future of the Commonwealth, let us set our faces against every effort, under whatever excuse, to lose or waste the advantage which has been gained, and let us use all our sense, courage, honor and faith to hold fast to the new plan, and only change it to carry it further forward, to greater blessings and gain for humanity and knowledge."

The governor tells of the request of the Normal school for negroes. It wants \$3,000 more annually and \$3,000 improvements. He passes this matter up to the legislators for their attention.

**Good Roads.**  
 The governor takes up the question of good roads and the uniform accounting law, and asks attention to them.

He says there is great need of a contingent fund of \$5,000 to be used under the governor's direction. He suggests an appropriation of \$200 for a figurehead for the battleship Kentucky.

He recommends a bi-partisan board for the prisons and penal institutions, and indorses the indeterminate sentence law. A new dormi-

**FIRST TRIAL IN NEW PARLIAMENT**

**CHAMBERLAIN'S FISCAL AMENDMENT IS REJECTED.**

**Government Regards Result as Satisfactory, as There Was No Cross Voting.**

**MANY ABSTAIN FROM VOTING.**

London, Feb. 25.—The first trial of strength in the new parliament occurred at a crowded session of the house of commons, when Austen Chamberlain's fiscal amendment was rejected, 255 to 254. Speeches were made by Arthur J. Balfour, leader of the opposition, Chancellor Lloyd-George, Walter Runciman, president of the board of education, R. Bonarlaw, and others, nine of which gave a new aspect to the fiscal controversy.

Although victorious only by a majority of 31, the government regards the result as satisfactory, inasmuch as there was no cross voting and no evidence of any intention on the part of discontented groups to overthrow the ministry. All Nationalists and O'Brienites, as well as Redmondites, abstain from voting. The Laborites voted with the government, and three Liberals abstained.

The division was taken amid a scene of great excitement and the poll was received with a tremendous opposition cheering. The premier having given notice that he will move on Monday that the government business take precedence until March 24, the house adjourned. The government's existence now depends on the production of a plan satisfactory to the Nationalists and Radicals for dealing in a drastic manner with the house of lords' power of veto.

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me to believe that the attention of the people should be directed to the need and usefulness of a public utilities commission in Kentucky. To have supervision and control under proper laws of the operations of all public utilities, railroads, telephones, telegraphs, the express business and all operations of that nature."

**Final Paragraph.**  
 The governor shows the cost of taking care of the new capital and grounds, and asks for an appropriation to properly keep both in first-class condition. It will take not less than \$25,000 a year.

He recommends a number of changes in regard to the working of the land office. He then takes up the constitutional provision that no rate officer shall receive more than \$5,000 a year, and says there are instances where this is not enforced, and suggests a law making a penalty for the violation of the law.

The governor asks for some kind of legislation concerning the pollution of streams.  
 He devotes a large part of his

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Pork Chops, per lb. 17 1/2c	Veal Roast, per lb. 11c
Pork Roast, per lb. 12 1/2c	Lamb Chops, per lb. 15c
Pork Sausage, per lb. 12 1/2c	Lamb Roast, per lb. 12 1/2c
Hams, per lb. 18 1/2c	Lamb Stew, per lb. 10c
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### CAR DEPARTMENT OF ILLINOIS CENTRAL SHOPS.

Will Resume Long Day, Commencing March 1—Personals.

Beginning March 1 the car department of the Illinois Central shops will work nine hours a day, according to the announcement made this morning by Master Mechanic J. H. Nash. The increase in hours will effect 367 men and will add considerably to the monthly pay roll. Several weeks ago the locomotive department began the nine-hour day, but the car department will continue to work eight hours a day until next Tuesday. The longer days are responsible for the longer hours as it is the custom of the railroad to work short hours during the winter days because of the cold weather and the short days. The announcement of the longer day will be pleasant news to the carmen.

#### Personals.

General Foreman James Hofflich is off duty owing to illness. John Schroeder is filling his place.  
Mr. R. W. Bell, superintendent of machinery, left last night for Cairo on train No. 801 after spending the

day inspecting the local shops. Mr. A. H. Egan, superintendent, and L. E. McCabe, assistant superintendent, left at 11:25 o'clock on train No. 102.

The Plain City lodge of machinists will hold the regular meeting tonight at the Central Labor hall. A large attendance of the machinists is requested, as there will be five candidates to initiate into the mysteries of the "nut-splitters."

Sterling Price, of the car department, is ill of the grip at his home in O'Bryan's addition.

Fred West, a hostler, has returned to work after a short illness with the grip.

Dr. G. C. McKinney, of the Illinois Central hospital staff, is recuperating after an attack of the grip.

Mr. George Leonard, a machinist, who has been critically ill for a week, was unimproved today. Little hope is entertained for his recovery.

J. M. Callahan, general foreman at Central City, was in the city today. Mr. Callahan is on the sick list, but was able to be up.

Wurth Holcomb, a boilermaker helper, is ill of the grip.

Henry Shelton, of the machine department, is off duty owing to an attack of the grip.

Richard Leeman, day caller, has returned to work after a short illness.

The Rev. W. J. Naylor has recovered from his late attack of the grip and nervous disorder and will preach next Sunday morning at Lebanon. Subject, "The False and the True."

## DETAILS OF KILLING

### OF YOUNG SOLDIER WHO WAS WELL KNOWN HERE.

Captain Gordon Givens, Who Commanded Detachment During Night Rider Troubles.

The Middlesboro News-Record gives the following details of the killing of Capt. Gordon Givens, who as a deputy sheriff, was at Edgewood coal mines in Bell county and was summoned to arrest Mose Gatlin, who had started a rough house at the home of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Bowers. As soon as Givens entered the house Gatlin opened fire on him, the first shot hitting him in the side. Givens returned the fire, shooting Gatlin twice through the lungs. Givens died three days later and at last accounts Gatlin was still alive.

"Deputy Sheriff Givens was regarded as one of the bravest officers in this section and it was due to this that he was placed in the mining camp section to deal with the lawless element that usually inhabits these localities.

Last September he killed Dave Haynes, a miner, at Edgewood mines whom he attempted to arrest for "shooting up" the camp. Givens was among the first to enroll his name on the reorganization of the local militia five years ago under Captain George W. Albrecht. Later on when the company was called to western Kentucky in the suppression of the night riders, Givens played a conspicuous part. It was while his company was in this part of Kentucky that he married Miss Eula Vincent, of Calloway county. The deceased was near his 24th birthday at the time of his death. He was born near Ferndale on Feb. 26th, 1886. He leaves behind to mourn his death his wife and child, his father, Wm. Givens, and one sister, Mrs. D. L. Morrison, of Atlanta, and four brothers, R. Lee, J. L., Ed and Carlo Givens."

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2 cans Standard Corn.....	15c
2 3-lb cans Green Beans.....	15c
Monarch Asparagus, per can.....	25c
3 pkgs. Rice Flakes for.....	25c
Fresh Country Eggs, per doz.....	25c
3 cans Red Kidney Beans.....	25c
2 pkgs. Currants.....	15c
Table Peaches, per can.....	15c
3 cans Hi-Lo Baking Powder.....	25c
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Bananas, per dozen.....	10c
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Seasoning Bacon, lb.....	15c
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Breakfast Bacon, lb.....	20c
Best Pat. Flour, sack.....	90c
2 cans Corn.....	15c
2 3-lb cans Tomatoes.....	15c
3 lbs. Prunes.....	25c
3 cans Salmon.....	25c
Tea, per lb.....	25c
Best String Beans, can.....	9c
17 1/2 lbs. Granu. Sugar.....	81c
Best Keg Soda, 5 lbs. for.....	10c
4 1/2 lbs. Navy Beans.....	25c
Cotton Baiting, roll.....	9c
Men's Heavy Underwear, per garment.....	35c
Womens Heavy Underwear, per garment.....	25c
Heavy Pair Blankets.....	80c
Heavy Comfort.....	80c
2 pairs Ladies' or Gent's hose.....	15c
2 pairs Children's Hose.....	15c
\$2.00 Men's Hats.....	\$1.00
\$2.00 Men's Hats.....	\$1.00
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2 cans Mammoth Asparagus.....	85c
2 cans whole, hand-packed Tomatoes.....	25c
2 3-lb. cans Beets.....	25c
2 1-lb. cans Shrimps.....	25c
Shredded Coconut, per lb.....	20c
2 cakes Jap Rose Soap.....	25c
2 cakes Baker's Premium Chocolate.....	35c
4 cakes German Sweet Chocolate.....	25c
7 rolls Toilet Paper.....	25c
1/2 Bu. Irish Potatoes.....	25c
5 lbs. Graham Flour.....	25c
5 lbs. Navy Beans.....	25c
5 lbs. Evaporated Peaches.....	25c
4 lbs. Japan Head Rice.....	25c
3 lbs. Spanish Onions.....	10c
3 lbs. Ferndell Coffee.....	65c
3 pkgs. Ferndell Rolled Oats.....	25c
3 lbs. Shelled Raisins, loose.....	20c
3 lbs. shelled Currants, loose.....	20c
5 lbs. old-fashioned Buck Wheat Flour.....	25c
3 lbs. Prunes.....	25c
2 lbs. Soda Crackers.....	15c
Smoked White Fish, per lb.....	20c
2 cans Cream Corn.....	25c
2 cans Blue Berries.....	25c
2 cans Heinz Baked Beans.....	25c
2 cans Baby Beets.....	25c
2 cans Ferndell Baked Beans.....	25c
2 cans White House Asparagus.....	25c
2 cans Green Asparagus Tips.....	25c
2 cans Ferndell Sweet Corn.....	25c
2 cans Cut Stringless Beans.....	25c
2 cans Telephone Peas.....	25c
2 cans Rose of Sherron Peas.....	40c
2 cans Ferndell Sweet Peas.....	40c
2 cans Thistle Peas.....	40c
2 cans Little Fellow Peas.....	40c
2 cans Pink Salmon.....	25c
2 cans Belligan Peas.....	40c
2 cans Red Kidney Beans.....	25c
2 cans White Kidney Beans.....	25c
2 2-lb. cans Old Abe Corn.....	25c
2 2-lb. cans Table Peas.....	25c
2 2-lb. cans Mutton Chop Tomatoes.....	25c
2 2-lb. cans Stringless Beans.....	25c
2 2-lb. cans Early June Peas.....	25c
3 3-lb. cans Standard Tomatoes.....	25c
3 3-lb. cans Lemon cing Peaches.....	50c
3 cans Pie Peaches.....	25c
3 3-lb. cans String Beans.....	25c
3 cans Royal Arch Peaches.....	45c
3 cans Ram's Horn Peaches.....	45c
2 cans Morning Glory Apricots.....	45c
2 cans Ferndell Red Pitted Cherries.....	95c
3 cans Ferndell Peaches.....	95c
3 cans Ferndell Bartlett Peas.....	85c
3 cans Ferndell Asparagus.....	95c
3 cans Ferndell Apricots.....	95c
3 lbs. Cod Fish.....	15c
Neufchatel Cheese, per cake.....	5c

3 fancy Smoked Bloaters.....	10c
2 large cans Chunk Pineapple.....	25c
2 bottles Extract.....	15c
2 Red Cross Spaghetti.....	15c
4 large pkgs. Washing Powder.....	15c
3 pkgs. Currants.....	25c
3 pkgs. Raisins.....	25c
3 lbs. Grits.....	10c
3 lbs. Chopped Hominy.....	10c
3 lbs. Steel Cut Oat Meal.....	25c
3 loaves Rye Bread.....	25c
2 quarts Apple Vinegar.....	15c
2 Shaker Salt.....	15c
3 bags Salt.....	10c
Kosher Sausage, a pound.....	15c
2 cans Mustard Sardines.....	15c
3 cans Oil Sardines.....	10c
Fresh Eggs, per dozen.....	25c
3 1-lb. cans Asparagus Tips.....	80c
5 lb. bucket pure Hog Lard.....	75c
3 pkgs. Jello, any flavor.....	25c
3 cans Blackberries.....	25c
3 50c jars French Green Beans.....	85c
3 50c jars French Green Peas.....	85c
3 50c jars French Mushrooms.....	85c
1 lb. can steel Cut Coffee.....	25c
2 1/2 lb. cans Lobsters.....	25c
3 1/2 lb. cans Pimientos.....	25c
2 cakes Bon Ami.....	15c
2 cakes Sapolio.....	15c
2 boxes Porcelain.....	15c
3 cans Walker's Chilled Corn Carne.....	25c
2 bottles Baby Elite Polish.....	15c
2 cakes Rising Sun Polish.....	15c
3 1lb. cans Red Salmon.....	50c
2 cans Herring in Sauce.....	25c

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